



## Council move to give The Hub another £10k a year

TOWN councillors are being asked to support The Hub youth club in Lyme Regis to the tune of £10,000 a year.

Councillors will be asked tonight (Wednesday) to approve a new grant agreement with Lyme Regis Development Trust in respect of the former boys' club in Church Street to cover the next two financial years.

If approved, it is further evidence of the council's policy of continuing to invest in the youth of the town, having made a one-off payment of £60,000 and entering into a service level agreement which has seen a

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further £30,000 in funding. That agreement should have finished in March 2014 but councillors approved the budget for the new financial year, starting in April, which included a further £10,000 without any formal council proposition to do so with three quarterly payments of £2,500 having already been made.

Councillor Mark Gage, chairman of the Strategy and Policy Committee, which compiles the budget, admitted that this had been a mistake and accepted full responsibility for the error. However, a report that will go before tonight's meeting stating that, follow-

ing legal advice from the National Association of Local Councils, "nothing illegal" had taken place.

The solicitor advised that rather than put in place a retrospective extension of the agreement, it would be better for the council to set up a new arrangement that takes into consideration the payments (£7,500) al-

ready made, to be formalised as an annual grant, rather than an agreement, the reasoning being that The Hub would not actually be providing any direct services to the town council.

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## Volly Dollies crowned pudding champs!



■ THE Volly Dollies from the Volunteer Inn in Lyme Regis took the winning title at the third annual Great Christmas Pudding Race, held on Marine Parade on Saturday afternoon in aid of Cancer Research UK. The pink tutu-clad fairies stole the top spot from Boylos Christmas Elves, who have taken home the pudding trophy for the past two years. Full story and picture special on pages 6, 7, 8 & 9

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**THIS week's joint 60 Second interviewees are Tracey West and Teresa Fowler, from Uplyme and Lyme Regis respectively.**

Tracey, who previously worked in the care industry, and Teresa, a florist who will be marking the 18th anniversary of her well-established Lyme business House of Flowers this month, have recently paired up to launch Feel Fabulous, a new beauty business offering a vast range of treatments.

#### ● HOW did you both get into beautician work?

**Teresa:** I have always loved everything "nails" and always done my own and friends and family, so thought I would train professionally (we both have). I love the fact that the design aspect and trends with nails keeps changing, similar to with flowers, so I can be creative with them and try new ideas. We work as a team together but separately.

**Tracey:** I have always worked in the care environment and beauty is something I've always wanted to do. It gives me great satisfaction. I also sell Tropic Skin Care products and offer mobile treatments too. We do pamper parties together which is good fun.

#### ● WHAT made you decide to go into business together as Feel Fabulous?

We started training at the same time a couple of years ago without knowing it, it was quite funny when we mentioned it to each other! We were already friends and this was just the right thing to do. We both provide different treatments and believe in natural and kind products and together we are Feel Fabulous. We both thought it was a great name for nail and beauty and Tasmin. Teresa's daughter, made us the logo.

#### ● WHAT treatments do you offer?

Well, that's a very long list but most popular are the massages, facials, threading, waxing, spray tans, lash and brow tints, lash lift and lash extensions, nail extensions and enhancements, the long-lasting gel polish, nail art, paraffin manicures and pedicures! A full list of treatments as well as loyalty cards and gift vouchers are available at House of Flowers in Broad Street. Skin and nail health is something that needs to be maintained and we give you all the advice tips and info you need.

**● WHAT'S been the reaction of customers so far?**  
It's been great! They love coming here, they say it's "handy"! The reaction has been very positive and supportive and they love that we are doing it. We are becoming popular with both locals and visitors, and people are taking the time to leave great reviews so we are very grateful.

#### ● HOW does Feel Fabulous tie in with Teresa's existing business at House of Flowers?

**Teresa:** Perfectly! I have a nail bar in the shop and it's a lovely setting to sit and have your nails done surrounded by the scent and vibrancy of the flowers. Both nails and flowers are both very creative professions and the two go together "hand in hand"! I get inspiration from floral designs and have had some lovely feedback. I keep up to date with all the latest trends with both.

It's house of flowers 18th anniversary this month, I can't believe I set it up 18 years ago!



**Tracey:** It's a convenient drop-in place to make appointments and pick up a price list. I also sell Tropic Skin Care which you can order and collect from there, or you order via our Facebook page "Feel Fabulous".

#### ● DO you have any plans to expand further?

Yes, there's much more in the pipeline. We are always adding new treatments, you can never stop learning, especially as it's a forever-changing service.

**Tracey:** I've just started offering lash extensions.

**Teresa:** I can convert your ordinary nail polish into a gel.

We have both have regular clients and acquiring a good reputation is what we are concentrating on. We do have access to beauty rooms locally but also offer mobile services. We are both fully qualified and insured.

#### ● HAVE you any special offers in the run up to

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#### Christmas?

We both have had special offers on already and always probably will.

**Teresa:** I have been offering the paraffin mani and pedi as it's ideal for this time of year. It's good for dry skin, stiff joints, soothing pain from arthritis, improves circulation, cleansing relaxing and stimulating. In fact, I did this on a recent pamper evening and sent everyone to sleep!

**Tracey:** I have been offering spray tans and lash extensions. They make such a difference and ideal for all the Christmas parties.

Christmas bookings are already getting busy but we will both be doing some January special offers too so if you're stuck for a present a voucher would be a good idea! We have offers displayed in the shop and on our Facebook page where we regularly run competitions and display photos of our work.

#### ● WHAT are your personal interests?

**Teresa:** I love spending time with family which means regular weekends in London to see my daughter who is at uni studying graphic design and my son is doing an apprenticeship as a joiner, they are both very creative. I regularly visit relatives and love walking my dog Poppy, there's so many different walks here.

**Tracey:** I have two young boys that keep me active, Charlie attends Mrs Ethelston's and William is waiting to start pre-school. I enjoy running, spinning and socialising with friends!

#### ● WHAT do you like about living in Uplyme and Lyme Regis?

For a small town we've got it all, including a cinema and great local shops! We must all continue to support everything we've got. We don't like the empty houses as it's not good for the economy so rent them out and get them lived in!

We love the summers and swimming in the sea, the sandy beaches, lovely walks and we also like the winters here! It's such a great place to live.

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# Lyme mourns ex-teacher and councillor who defied disability to serve his town



■ **FORMER teacher Peter Williams - "revered by his pupils"**

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PETER Williams spent 36 years in a wheelchair after being struck down by spinal paralysis - but it didn't stop him living a full and active life.

He was a Lyme man through and through - and his hometown was shocked and saddened to hear of his death at the age of 80 on Friday last.

Pete Williams will be remembered for many things - not least his popularity as an infants' teacher at St Michael's Primary School where he taught for 17 years, eight of those in a wheelchair. He was simply revered by his pupils.

Peter came to teaching late in life but he never let his disability influence his dedication to his pupils or his commitment to the profession he loved.

He was forced into early retirement at the age of 53 - but he was never very far from the school he served with such distinction, living in Summerhill Road with glorious views over the school and town.

He would often comment on what was happening as the children played happily just yards from his back garden.



■ **TRIBUTE: Members of Lyme Regis Football Club observed a minute's silence at the Davey Fort on Saturday in honour of former player Peter Williams**

Peter was born in Windsor Terrace, one of five children and is survived by his twin brother Stan, and sisters Joan, Ann and Judith.

He was educated at the old St Michael's Primary School and the former Lyme Regis Grammar School. On leaving school he took an apprenticeship in radio and electrical engineering in Farnborough before joining the Royal Air Force for his National Service but signing on for three years, serving in Rhodesia and Egypt before being demobbed.

Returning to Lyme, he worked in the family electrical business in Silver Street, but after the death of his father moved to Blandford with his wife Shirley (whose maiden name was also Williams) where he worked as a civilian testing radio equipment for the Army, a job that took him all the over the South of England.

The couple's first child, Nick, was born in 1959 and the family moved back to Lyme in 1963 after the birth of their daughter, Jen. At first they lived in Church Street but moved to Summerhill Road with daughter Poppy being born in 1966.

Pete had a number of jobs, including running a paraffin round and working in his mother's cafe in Coombe Street (Lyme's first takeaway) before achieving his ambition of qualifying as a teacher after studying at Weymouth College.

He was due to take up his first post in Beaminstor when he was struck down by a spinal condition which led to severe paralysis and had to undergo several serious operations. By the time he had recovered a vacancy came up in Lyme, under former headteacher Margaret Shaw, and Peter spent 17 very happy years at St Michael's.

As a young man, Pete was extremely fit, playing for Lyme Regis Football Club, and was actively involved in a number of organisations. He met his wife-to-be Shirley at a Young Conservatives Dance.

Despite being confined to a wheelchair, Peter led a full and active life, with Shirley always at his side. He also gave great support to Shirley who was very active in Guiding circles, rising to Assistant County

Commissioner and chairman of the Trefoil Guild.

Peter also served for two terms on Lyme Regis Town Council, working alongside his twin brother, former Mayor Stan Williams, a role that gave him great satisfaction.

The past year has been one of great celebration for the Williams family, Pete and Stan's 80th birthday and the wedding of his youngest daughter Poppy.

Peter finally succumbed to a serious infection and died in Dorset County Hospital, surrounded by his family.

The funeral service will take place at 11.30am on Wednesday, December 17th at St Michael's Parish Church, followed by cremation at Weymouth later in the day.

Peter's ashes will be scattered at sea from his son Nick's fishing boat, Kracken.

There will be family flowers only but donations can be made to B Sharp, run by his daughter-in-law Fran Williams, and St Michael's School.

## COUNCIL DATES

- **Weds, Dec 10th - Strategy & Policy, 7pm**
- **Tues, Dec 16th - Planning & Highways, 7pm**
- **Weds, Dec 17th - Full Council, 7pm**

## Council to peg precept despite reduction in government grant

■ **FROM PAGE ONE**

The council received a letter from Wendy Davies, chairman of Lyme Regis Development Trust, asking the council to continue supporting The Hub until March 2016.

Mrs Davies wrote: "This support is greatly valued at many levels - the young people of Lyme appreciate their council doing something so effective; the fact that you support makes county and district support possible (they would be unlikely to do so without local council input) and has enabled us to raise the substantial funding from elsewhere which has so im-

proved the facilities; and of course, the money keeps us going on a daily basis. We are doing all we can to raise revenue ourselves."

The recommendation that goes before councillors tonight is that officers should instigate the proposed new grant agreement with the Development Trust for £10,000 per annum in respect of The Hub to cover the years 2014-2015 and 2015-2016.

It is also intended that council officers will set up and maintain a financial calendar/database detailing all upcoming significant dates, including service level agreements, leases, tenders, invoicing and any other relevant information.

This move is to ensure that there will be no repeat of payments continuing to organisations after agreements have expired.

Councillors will also be asked tonight to approve a precept (the amount of money the town council gets from the council tax) of £120,708.

Taking into account the increase in the Retail Price Index, this represents a decrease in real terms of 9.4 per cent in cost to Lyme council taxpayers as the government support grant has been reduced by £5,591.

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# A303 funding announcement will be good news for Dorset

DORSET'S economy is set to be boosted following the announcement of major government funding to improve the A303 transport corridor north of the county.

Dorset County Council has lobbied government for the "whole route improvement" of the A303 corridor, as part of a group of local authorities led by Somerset County Council.

And the hard work has paid off, with the announcement last week by Transport Secretary Patrick McLoughlin and Chief Secretary to the Treasury Danny Alexander that the full A303 corridor, including the A358 from the Ilminster roundabout to Taunton and the A30, will be upgraded as part of a £2billion roads investment strategy.

The A303 passes through the very north of Dorset, providing an essential link for the north of the county, particularly Gillingham. The A303/A358 route provides strategic connections to the north from south and south-east Dorset.

Dorset County Council Cabinet member for Environment and the Economy, Peter Finney said: "This really is excellent news. Dorset County Council and the Dorset Local Enterprise Partnership both support improvement to the whole of the A303/A358.

"Recent economic studies suggest that major improvements to the A303/A358 corridor could inject £41billion into the south west's economy and create in excess of 21,000 jobs regionally. The benefit to Dorset itself could amount to £4.7billion, with tourism benefits of up to £2.6billion.

"In Somerset, dualling the A303 between South Petherton and Ilminster (the Ilminster Bypass),



■ **GOVERNMENT funding will improve traffic flow on the A303**

plus the A358 between Ilminster and M5 junction 25 at Taunton will improve the north-south route, critical for freight traffic accessing Dorset's ports at Portland and Poole.

"To fully maximise the benefits to Dorset's economy, further improvements to the A37/A3088 south and west of Yeovil will also be needed, as identified in the Dorset LEP Strategic Economic Plan.

"Capacity and junction enhancements to the A303 in Wiltshire will also enable further expansion of Gillingham and Shaftesbury, specifically benefiting the economy of North Dorset."

## More intelligent use of stop and search by police

DORSET police has launched key elements of the Best Use of Stop and Search Scheme in an effort to lead to better and more intelligence-led stop and searches with more effective outcomes.

The scheme is being implemented in Dorset to deliver improved, intelligence-led results and to enhance public scrutiny of "stop and search" activity.

Dorset police has introduced a community trigger process which means that public representatives sit on a Stop and Search Commu-

nity Scrutiny Panel which considers stop and search activity, community issues and complaints against police relating to this tactic.

As part of the new scheme, the use of the Section 60 "no suspicion" powers have been restricted. Authorisation to use these powers can now only be given by a chief officer.

Section 60 "no suspicion" powers are used when it is believed that serious violence will occur.

Dorset Police lead, Chief In-

spector Ashley Adams, said: "Dorset police are committed to using stop and search powers to prevent and detect crime and to do so with transparency and honesty, to inspire trust and confidence within the communities of Dorset.

"Any community representatives who wish to learn more about the 'Stop Search Scrutiny Panel' are invited to email me at [Ashley.Adams@dorset.pnn.police.uk](mailto:Ashley.Adams@dorset.pnn.police.uk)."

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# Santa stops in Lyme Regis!

FATHER Christmas took time out of his busy schedule to tour Lyme Regis on Sunday and Monday evenings, greeting excited children across the town and raising funds for charity.

The annual Santa sleigh visits, organised by Neville Causley from Hunter's Lodge Inn, just outside Lyme Regis, raised £875 for this year's chosen cause - St Michael's Primary School's appeal for new playground equipment.

Mr Causley said: "I would like to express my sincere thanks to the people of Lyme Regis for helping us to raise a record £875 for St Michael's Primary School playground appeal.

"We were blessed this year with the weather being perfect for our tour around the town, and therefore more people came out to see us on our annual journey around Lyme Regis.

"Our sleigh has once again brought a smile to faces young and old, and raised a great sum of money for another good cause.

"I am very grateful to Lyme Regis Regatta & Carnival Committee for their continued support with a donation towards the insurance, etc. They have supported the sleigh every year since we started 13 years ago.

"The sleigh collected £798 on the tour, and then we took Santa back to our quiz night at Hunter's

Loge in the evening and we managed to reach the £875 mark with donations from the quiz teams.

"I would like to personally thank the following people for their help and continued support, without these generous people, we would not be able to take the sleigh out: Dave Ostler for the use of the towing vehicle, Timber Vale Caravan Park for the use of the trailer, the Karizma Majorettes for the loan of their music system and finally, of course, to my family (Santa's little helpers!).

"Thank you for your continued support of the sleigh, and on behalf of the Causley family, we would like to wish you all a happy Christmas and peaceful New Year."



# New ticket machines for district car parks

BRAND new parking machines are being rolled out in West Dorset District Council-run car parks across the area, including in Lyme Regis and Charmouth.

The installation of the new pay and display machines started in Dorchester yesterday (Tuesday).

Replacement machines will then be installed in Sherborne, Bridport, Beaminster and West Bay throughout December 2014 and January 2015 and in Lyme Regis and Charmouth when phase IV of the coastal protection works have been completed.

Leader of West Dorset District Council, Robert Gould, said: "We are making a major financial investment to improve parking in West Dorset as we know how important it is for residents, visitors and

the local economy to have well maintained car parks.

"Our first project is to replace old unreliable machines with brand new machines and these will be installed in phases across the district.

"Machines will only take coins initially but will then be upgraded to take card and contactless payments as soon as security protocols are finalised."

Metric, who are the machine manufacturers, will be carrying out the installation works on behalf of the district council and will try to keep disruption to a minimum. The district council is asking people using its car parks to be patient while these essential works take place.

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# Puddings and princesses a recipe for success!

PUDDINGS and princesses was the theme of the day as crowds descended onto Marine Parade to watch Lyme Regis' wackiest festive event.

The Great Lyme Regis Christmas Pudding Race, organised by the local branch of Cancer Research UK, was held for the third time on Saturday. Many commented that the event was the "best yet", with new obstacles added to the Christmas course and an appearance from "Frozen" Princesses Elsa and Anna among the highlights of the day.

Proceedings kicked off with another new addition to the programme - the Chase the Pud Race - in which runners dressed as Father Christmas attempted to catch a Christmas pudding, played by local footballer and lifeboat crew member Jack Durrant - as he ran along the seafront. No one managed to catch the speedy pud but James Campbell from Lyme Regis was awarded a trophy for coming first in the race.

Live music from Lyme's own festive trio the "Merrily

## Photos by Rob Coombe and Francesca Evans

on Highs" - Nicky Sweetland, Kelly Apps and Jayne Saunders - kept the crowd entertained with traditional Christmas tunes before Nicky made a quick change to lead the popular Zumba warm-up.

The main relay race then got underway with eight teams battling it out on a Christmas obstacle course, which saw them build a Mr Potato Head face on a Christmas pudding, wrap a present, decorate a tree, sing carols, bin a sprout using a catapult and scale a giant inflatable slide among other tasks.

Reigning champions Boylos Christmas Elves from Boylos watersports shop on Marine Parade were knocked from the top spot this year. After taking home the coveted pudding trophy for the first two years, the elves were beaten by the pink tutu-clad Volly Dollies from the Volunteer Inn.

Other teams taking part in this year's race included Brenda's Crackers, who were awarded the prize for best dressed, the Drama Queens from Lyme Regis Operatic Society, the View From Lyme Regis' superheroes, Aroma Cafe, Lyme Bay Holidays and the Woodroffe School.

Attractions on the day also included a roller-skating Christmas pudding, real-life reindeer, a pudding-shaped Santa's grotto, festive face painting and a popular memory tree which will now be included in Lyme Regis Christmas Tree Festival at the Baptist Church.

The total raised is not yet known but organisers have commented on the general success of the event.

Chairman of the Lyme Regis branch of Cancer Research UK, Philip Evans, said: "The day went really well; we were lucky with the weather and there was a big crowd watching. One of the highlights was the visit by the 'Frozen' Princesses which went down really well with the kids.

"Thanks to all who helped organise and set up the event, our marshals, collectors, teams taking part, all our sponsors and for the continued generosity of the Lyme Regis community for this worthy cause."



■ LITTLE PRINCESS: Frozen fans queued to meet Elsa and Anna



■ WARMING UP: Teams take part in a Zumba warm-up before starting the race (below)



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■ **DEFENDING THEIR TITLE:** Boylos Christmas Elves competed for the third year



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■ **DRESSED TO IMPRESS:** Brenda's Crackers won best fancy dress



■ **CHRISTMAS DINNER:** New entrants for 2014, Lyme Bay Holidays



■ **SANTA'S SACKS:** Teacher Jim Thomas and students from the Woodroffe School

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■ **BIN THAT SPROUT:** John Kellas from Aroma Cafe tries out one of the new obstacles



■ **THROUGH THE YULE LOG:** A member of Brenda's Crackers makes her way around the course



■ **DRAMA QUEENS:** Lyme Regis Operatic Society



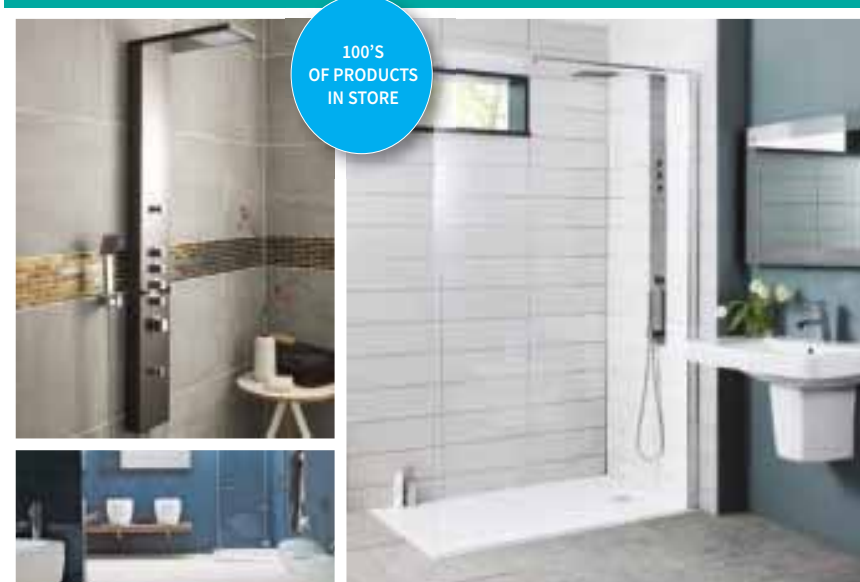
■ **IN THE PINK:** The Volly Dollies from the Volunteer Inn

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■ **WINNER:** Chase the Pud champion James Campbell with pudding Jack Durrant



■ **NUMBER ONE FANS:** Libby and Chloe Flux meet Frozen Princesses Elsa and Anna

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## Christmas comes early at The Alleyways this Sunday

BRIDPORT'S Art & Vintage Quarter, on St Michael's Trading Estate, is full of festive cheer – so why not pop in to The Alleyways Antiques Centre for a glass of mulled wine and mince pies this Sunday?

The Alleyways will be saying a big thank you to all its customers this Sunday as it lays on mulled wine, sausage rolls and mince pies to celebrate Christmas.

The West Dorset Higgler, famous for his amazing blends of coffee & tea, will be serving hot beverages and at midday Wessex Wines will be offering you a chance to taste their amazing collection.

Plus you can visit The Tarring House with its eclectic mix of traders, the new gallery, Brooks Art, the new antiques pine furniture shop, Stray Cat, along with your old favourites: Vintage at Cornucopia for vintage clothing; Cornucopia for antiques and collectables.

Just a minutes' walk from the Town Hall and you find yourself stepping back in time to the Art & Vintage Quarter.

Situated on the St Michael's Trading Estate there are shops selling an eclectic mix of English and European artefacts from the 1700s through to the swinging 40s, 50s and 60s.

This is a fascinating trip through time whether browsing or buying antique, reclaimed, classic and vintage furniture, clothes and collectables.

So when visiting Bridport this Sunday, what better a way to spruce up your day!



■ ONE of the Drama Queens takes a leap down the slide



■ LUCY Caton of the Volly Dollies



■ ELLIE Boyle from Boylos Christmas Elves



■ DEWI Lambert for Aroma Cafe



■ HEIDI Hobson from the View From's superheroes



■ THE Volly Dollies' Chelsea Vere takes the plunge



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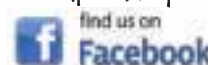
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# Royal British Legion branch goes out on a high with another award



**AWARD WINNERS:** Charmouth Royal British Legion Women's Section members Trish Forsey, Cynthia Buckingham and Pat Richards

THE Charmouth branch of the Royal British Legion Women's Section has decided to disband after 89 years but will be going out on a high after winning another award for their fundraising efforts.

The branch once again picked up the Wimborne Cup at the Royal British Legion Women's Section county conference for the small branch which had raised the most money for the benevolent fund.

However, with dwindling numbers, it was announced at the branch's Christmas party last week, attended by visitors from Uplyme and Axminster branches, that it would disband in summer 2015.

Member Trish Forsey hopes to continue running the Poppy Appeal in the village but next year's Remembrance events in Charmouth will not be organised by the Royal British Legion.



## Charmouth school opens doors to visitors

CHARMOUTH Primary School opened its doors to parents, prospective parents and children on Monday for a "drop in" to experience the school's challenging and exciting learning opportunities.

Special activities were held in each class for the visitors to watch.

Starfish, the reception class, enjoyed a fun-filled day being princes and princesses (pictured above) and were busy making swords and jew-

ellery for the visitors to see.

Dolphins class made aqueducts and were very excited when it came to testing them out, while the Sharks class made their own ice cream.

Turtles class looked at the theme of "floating and sinking" and made floating objects from tin foil to see which could hold the most one pence coins, the winner holding 143!

  
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## Festive fayre for museum volunteers

LYME Regis Museum held its annual Christmas lunch at the Marine Theatre last week to thank its volunteers for their hard work over the past year.

Organised by duty manager Angharad Strillo, the guests enjoyed an Italian themed buffet in the decorated auditorium of the theatre.

Stephen Locke, chairman of the museum trustees, and museum director David Tucker welcomed everyone and thanked them, making a special mention of young volunteers, Hollie Dascombe, now a student at Bath University, and Ben Brooks, who had worked with the fossil walk team and also provided help with many activities including the recent YouTube video, "Mary Anning and the Monster that Time Forgot." He has now started work at the Met Office.

The museum has about 100 volunteers including six new recruits, who operate as trustees, engage in research, care for the collections, do essential DIY, give expert advice on computer technology and mar-



keting business development, work on fundraising and are front of house at the desk and in the museum shop.

Mr Tucker said that the progress made during the year towards building the much-anticipated Mary Anning extension wing would not have been possible without the ongoing support of the museum volunteers.

## Classes to help children relax as stress and depression on the rise

A KEY study by the Office of National Statistics found that one in ten children now suffer from mental health problems including stress, anxiety and depression.

Relax Kids is a pioneering system of teaching children mindfulness and relaxation techniques. With the rise of child stress and anxiety and behavioural problems, classes run by Relax Kids, as seen on BBC's "Dragons' Den", offer children a chance to chill out and relax. The sessions teach children relaxation techniques and tools to help them cope with stress and anxiety whilst building their confidence and self-esteem.

Learning relaxation from a young age helps children manage their stress and stay in control and focussed. Classes include stretching, breathing techniques, massage, positive self-talk and visualisation exercises put together in a fun package for

children up to the age of 10.

A class with the theme "Winter Wonderland Magical Adventure" will be held at Whitchurch Canoncorum, near Charmouth, this Saturday (December 13th), from 10am to 12noon for ages four and under, and from 1pm to 3pm for ages five to eight.

Marneta Viegas, founder of Relax Kids, said: "Teaching children to be still and relax is vital for their mental and emotional well being. Television, PlayStations, noise pollution and fast food all contribute the overstimulation and therefore stress and hyperactivity in children. We need to do something fast. Relaxation is the key!"

For more information on Relax Kids visit the website [www.relaxkids.com](http://www.relaxkids.com) or for more details on the class in Whitchurch Canoncorum, call Lucy Watkinson on 07554 451 347.

## Fitness and fun at The Hub youth club

THE Hub youth club in Lyme Regis is promoting fit and active lifestyles for all ages with a varied programme of sporting activities each week.

Lyme Regis Football Club's youth section runs indoor training sessions for its Under 8s squad on Mondays between 4.30pm and 5.30pm. The classes cover ball control, co-ordination and mini-matches, ideal for young people to start with and to progress through the youth teams.

Target TAGB Tae Kwon-Do offers a twice-weekly late afternoon class at on Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 4.30pm to 5.30pm, convenient for after school or for those who work evenings. The classes teach traditional Korean martial arts, not just a sport.

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can come straight from school and use the changing facilities at The Hub to get ready for class, which is also ideal for parents who would like to do sport with their children.

On Thursdays, The Hub offers kickboxing with instructor Gareth Taylor at 8pm. Gareth teaches self-defence to adults and young people, offering a really good work out and great for fitness, core stability and body conditioning.

Other weekly activities include B Sharp music sessions, The Hub's Toddlers, Lyme Regis Majorettes training and new children's drama classes.

For more information about hiring The Hub or any of the activities, call Diane at Lyme Regis Development Trust on 01297 445021, email [diane@lrdt.co.uk](mailto:diane@lrdt.co.uk) or visit [www.hublyme.co.uk](http://www.hublyme.co.uk)

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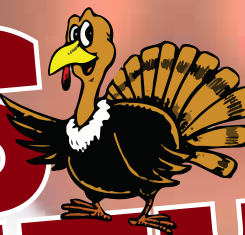
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## News in a Nutshell

### Couple leave local hotel without making payment

POLICE have reported that a couple left the Alexandra Hotel in Lyme Regis without paying for a night's stay.

The incident happened in early August but has only recently been reported to the police. The couple made an advance payment for an overnight stay but, having told the receptionist how much they liked the hotel and local area, booked a second night. Advance payment was not taken for the second night and the couple left without checking out or paying.

PCSO Luke White said: "We do advise all hotels and B&Bs to make sure that they either take payment in advance, or make sure they have verified details of their guests, including addresses and car registrations."

### Christmas on Stonebarrow

FAMILIES are invited to celebrate Christmas on Stonebarrow in Charmouth.

The National Trust is hosting a festive event at Stonebarrow, part of the Golden Cap Estate on Saturday, December 12th from 2pm to 7pm.

Children's activities will run from 2pm to 4pm including making reindeer and other decorations, with a small charge for some activities. There will also be plenty of hot food and drink on offer. A torchlight procession will be held at 4.30pm followed by a bonfire and carol singing.

For further details visit the website [www.nationaltrust.org.uk/golden-cap](http://www.nationaltrust.org.uk/golden-cap) or call 01297 489481.

### Festive fayre at primary school

ST Michael's Primary School will host its annual Christmas fayre this Friday (December 12th) between 6pm and 8pm.

Attractions will include a visit by Father Christmas, refreshments, raffle, trade tables, children's stalls, a lucky bucket and lots more. Entrance costs 50 pence and all proceeds will go towards the Parents and Friends Association's appeal for new playground equipment.



■ **MONEY-MAKING MUSIC:** Member of the Luggers ukulele band presents a cheque to Mike Higgs of Candles on the Cobb

## Luggers ukulele band raise £110 at Christmas concerts

THE Lyme Regis-based ukulele band, The Luggers, have been busy in the run-up to the festive season.

After performing at the Fairwater Head Hotel in Hawkchurch and at Halletts Court in Lyme Regis, they appeared at the switch-on of the town's Christmas lights, playing outside the lifeboat station as the Cobb was illuminated.

On Saturday, December 6th they played at three events - a Christmas cheese and wine lunch at Charmouth Village Hall for Weldmar Hos-

pice, the Fernhill Hotel Christmas craft fair and finished at the Town Mill Christmas party in the evening.

The latest gigs have helped the group raise a further £110 for local charities and a cheque was recently handed over to Mike Higgs of the Candles on the Cobb Committee.

All The Luggers' performances are in aid of local causes. For more information about the group and upcoming dates, follow them on Facebook at [www.facebook.com/lymeluggers](http://www.facebook.com/lymeluggers)

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## Sheila celebrates Christmas at Shire



■ **SHIRE House Residential Home** in Lyme Regis was delighted to welcome ten-times mayoress of Lyme Regis, Sheila Applebee, and her friend and neighbour, Doreen Pickford, to its Christmas party. Mrs Applebee, who served as mayoress alongside her late husband Dennis Applebee and close friend, the late Barbara Austin MBE, joined more than 50 guests and residents for a traditional Christmas lunch complete with crackers and party hats. Everyone enjoyed an impromptu performance on violin by one of the guests, Charlie Barber, and sang along to well-known carols. Mrs Applebee later commented: "You do have a lot of fun up there!"

## Council to pay £750 for fossil warden

THE town council has agreed to spend £750 towards a fossil warden to patrol Lyme Regis and Charmouth beaches during the 2015 summer season.

Fossil wardens have been employed by Dorset County Council to work on the beaches since 2006 to provide the public with advice on fossil collecting and beach safety. The total cost for

the 2014/15 warden is £4,500 which will be split between Lyme Regis Town Council, Charmouth Parish Council, the National Trust and Jurassic Coast Trust.

Of the 1,649 people who were advised by the warden in 2014, 193 of these were in Lyme Regis and the remaining 1,456 in Charmouth.

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# David releases latest novel in popular 'Twist of Lyme' series

ONE of Lyme Regis most prolific authors, David Ruffle, is set to have his twelfth book published this month.

"A Further Twist of Lyme" is the third and final instalment of the Twist of Lyme trilogy, which takes a comic look at the Hamilton family through events in their lives in the Cotswolds, Surrey, and of course, in Lyme Regis.

David, who works at Quality Corner in Broad Street, is particularly noted for his four Sherlock Holmes-based novels, which have also been translated into Russian and Italian, three of which were set in Lyme Regis and included in "A Further Twist of Lyme". The opening chapter of "Sherlock Holmes and the Scarborough Affair", set for publication in 2015, is included as a bonus in "A Further Twist of Lyme".

The upcoming Sherlock novel is a collaboration between David and Gill Stammers, who many locals will know as manager of Uplyme Post Office and Stores. It will be a tale of espionage, murder, strong-willed women and cricket!

"A Further Twist of Lyme" is being published by MX Publishing of London and will be available on all book-selling websites, as well as digitally for all e-readers and locally at Serendip, the Tourist Information Centre and Uplyme Stores.

David's charming Sherlock Holmes Christmas book for children, "Sherlock Holmes and the Missing Snowman", illustrated by local artist and town councillor Rikey Austin, is also currently available at Alice's Bear Shop in Broad Street for the festive season.



■ **NEW RELEASE:** Novel 'A Further Twist of Lyme' pictured right and, above, local author David Ruffle



# Paddington in demand at local teddy shop after hit film released

ALICE'S Bear Shop in Lyme Regis has been flooded with requests for Paddington Bear following the release of a hit film based on the favourite children's character.

Orders for the bear have been received from as far afield as France after the comedy "Paddington", which sees the bear come to London, was released in November.

Paddington, a polite, young, marmalade-eating bear from deepest, darkest Peru, has been a firm favourite of the nation since Michael Bond's book was first released in 1958.

Alice's Bear Shop, owned by local author, artist and town councillor Rikey Austin, which

stocks both new and vintage toys, currently offers new Paddington Bears from both of the current licensees, Rainbow designs and Steiff, and even has a vintage Aunt Lucy from Gabrielle Designs and a vintage Paddington from Eden Toys.

Alice's Bear Shop manager, Becky Lewis, said: "I was a little worried that the film may not be worthy of the iconic Paddington I have grown to love over the years but, after seeing it at the Regent Cinema in Lyme Regis I was totally charmed and feel sure that Paddington will continue to live on in the hearts of younger generations for years to come."



# Pest bait boxes to be renewed on seafront

LYME Regis Town Council has agreed to renew bait boxes along Gun Cliff Walk to control pests.

Bait boxes, initially paid for by the town council, were until recently in place along the seafront walk but were removed by the council due to their deteriorating condition and have not yet been replaced due to the coastal protection works in the area.

The council said it has not received any formal complaints regarding pests in the area but has been copied in on correspondence regarding bait boxes and rats on Gun Cliff Walk.

Councillors were told at a recent Town Management Committee meeting that they would need at least 20 boxes to cover the area, each costing

about £25, and West Dorset District Council had agreed to pay have the cost of each box and arrange for their supply. The town council would have to arrange installation working with a public health officer to ensure they were in the correct locations.

West Dorset can also provide non-toxic bait and the town council would have to keep regular logs on when the boxes are checked and whether there is any activity seen.

Councillors agreed to the initial set up cost of £500, which would cover the purchase and installation of boxes and infrastructure, and purchase of bait.

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# LymeLetters

## Christmas lights have never looked so stylish!

■ I HAVE lived in Lyme Regis for 25 years and must say that this year's Christmas lights in Broad Street are not only the most magical ever but, because the colour palette is limited, show the greatest style yet.

Congratulations to all involved and

### Thanks for donations at birthday celebration

■ I CELEBRATED my 60th birthday at Lyme Regis Golf Club and, instead of presents, asked for donations to the charity SUDEP Action.

I'd like to thank the staff at the golf club for laying on such a superb evening for us and to everybody who

particularly to that stalwart Virgil Turner, who put up all the small trees and their lights on his own.

A merry Christmas to one and all!

**Andrew Kaye,**  
Highcliff Road, Lyme Regis

attended and generously donated to the charity. We raised £370 in loving memory of my son, Matthew, who died, aged 22, from epilepsy.

**Kerina Toates,**  
Lyme Regis

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## Council says no to permanent PA system

COUNCILLORS have opted not to install a permanent public address (PA) system on Marine Parade due to the cost implications.

The town council considered the possibility of installing a permanent PA system on the seafront to promote events for the cost of £15,000 to £20,000. However, due to the atmospheric conditions of the

seafront, the system would only last between five and seven years and councillors deemed the cost too expensive.

Temporary PA systems are currently set up during the summer months for a cost of about £1,000 a week, paid by event organisers, to promote the town's main events such as carnival and Lifeboat Week.

## Food bank volunteers hope no one will go hungry at Christmas

ONCE again, the need for food banks across the country is making headlines in the national news and Lyme Regis & District Food Bank has been making arrangements to ensure no one goes hungry over the Christmas period.

LymeNet at St Michael's Business Centre, where the food bank is based, will be closed from 5pm on Tuesday, December 23rd to 9am on January 2nd.

Emergency parcels of food will be held during this period at local churches, Kent House Medical and Dental Practice and Lyme Regis Medical Centre for anyone in need over the festive period.

Chairman of the food bank, Audrey Vivian, said: "People in Lyme Regis are very generous and we do not want anyone to go hungry, so please ask for help.

"If you know a neighbour has been sent home from hospital and is unable to shop for a short while, please alert us as sometimes we hear after the event."

The dedicated number for the food bank is 07599 965 647 - a confidential number - or you can email foodbank@lrtd.co.uk

"People have been asking what

we need to keep for making up our parcels. At Christmas, a single donation of a more expensive, high protein items would be of great help," added Mrs Vivian.

"Tinned meat and fish products, large tins of soup, UHT milk, soups, instant coffee, tea and hot chocolate, instant custard powder, breakfast cereals, good biscuits and crackers. All these are expensive products to buy.

"All items can be left at collection points or brought to LymeNet.

"We are delighted to report that we had a snap visit from health and safety officers recently, who found our storage excellent and our arrangements good.

"Thank you for your interest, help and support in so many ways. Please make the presence of our food bank known to anyone who you think might need it. We are so anxious to make sure no one in our town has to go hungry for whatever reason.

"We are supported by our town council, the churches, schools and medical services and by the good will of all of you especially at this time of year. A happy Christmas to all."

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## View from the churches

CHURCHES all round the world hold special services near to Christmas that they call "Christingle Services". Jane and I have organised these for over 20 years, and we always really enjoy them!

Especially attractive to children and families, people of all ages find them very moving. So, what is a Christingle and why do we make these somewhat strange objects?

Christingles are based upon an orange, with a smallish candle inserted into the top of it. Silver foil often surrounds the base of the candle. A red ribbon is stuck around the circumference of the orange, four cocktail sticks pierce the upper half of the orange in four quadrants. On the cocktail sticks are several raisins and soft sweets. At an appropriate point in the service the congregation stand, if possible in a giant circle, and the Christingles are lit from one to another. We sing a carol such as "Away in a Manger" and a specially composed Christingle song, based on a familiar tune such as "Sing Hosanna"!

The origins go back to the Moravian Church in eastern Europe in 1747, so not a new, trendy invention to coax children to church! Each part has a special spiritual meaning for Christians - the orange represents the whole world, loved by God; the candle represents the light of Christ, shining upon all humanity; the foil encourages us to reflect or shine out God's love to all; the red ribbon represents the blood of Jesus, shed at Easter in sacrificial love; the cocktail sticks and fruits represent the blessings of God liberally poured out from the good earth, and for us to share with all humanity - particularly those in material need.

The Children's Society have adopted this service and provide most of the materials for us. We take collections for their work to help children to enjoy their Christmas more. Our Golden Cap Team Christingle will be held on Sunday, December 14th, 3.30pm at Marshwood Church - come and make your own Christingle, light it with others, and take it home for your decorations!

St Andrew's, Charmouth, invite you to their Christmas carol service also on December 14th at 6.30pm. St Michael's in Lyme Regis hold their carol service at 4pm on December 21st. More on this next week!



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## Dorwest Herbs

# WOW, what a year for Dorwest!

HERBAL pet product manufacturer Dorwest Herbs have really been on a roll this year scooping a number of awards in all aspects of the business. Dorwest were delighted to start their winning streak at the 'The Pawscars' in March, an event which recognises the success and hard work of those involved within the dog show world. Dorwest celebrated winning 'Best Trade Stand of the year', this award was particularly special as it was voted for by the general public and a testament to Tradestand Managers Brian and Carmel Cleveley.

Dorwest then went on to be crowned winner in the 'Customer Service Award' category at the prestigious Natwest Venus Womens Business Awards Dorset in July. This award is an accolade for the Dorwest team highlighting their excellent knowledge, advice and personal service towards customers and their pets' health.

Finally Dorwest did the double at the PetQuip ceremony held at the Majestic Hotel, Harrogate as part of the PATS pet trade exhibition in September. Eighteen pet care companies were honoured in six industry categories and Dorwest won the Gold Award in the 'Supplier of the Year' category, again rewarding their outstanding customer service and product support.

And as if that was not enough Mary Boughton MBE who is a director of the company won the special 'Lifetime Achievement Award!' Mary has taken Dorwest from strength to strength over the last 50 years and is

involved throughout the pet and veterinary industry at many levels.

A delighted Jo Boughton-White, Managing Director comments "2014 has been amazing for Dorwest, we just seem to have gone from strength to strength. We also successfully launched our extremely popular Oatmeal Advance Shampoo which has now won it's very own award too! We are now looking forward to some exciting developments in 2015"

Pictured below left to right Carmel Cleveley, Tradestand Manager, Jo Boughton-White, Managing Director and Brian Cleveley, Tradestand Manager accepting the Pawscars Tradestand of the Year award.



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## Poinsettia pointers

By Hannah Stephenson,  
Press Association

THE shops are awash with poinsettias at this time of year in shades of red, pink and cream, the colourful bracts having taken an average of eight weeks to turn from green to red.

Garden centres, supermarkets, homeware shops and DIY stores all have them on display, but you need to be careful how you choose your festive poinsettia, says David Mitchell, plant buyer at Wyevalle Garden Centres.

"When choosing a poinsettia, look for a strong-looking plant with bright-coloured bracts and deep green leaves all the way to the base of the pot," he advises.

"A UK-grown plant is by far the best. We grow them cooler and allow them more space, making sure they are tougher for the customer. Check if the retailer is displaying them in a warm, draught-free place and never buy a poinsettia which is being sold outside or near to open doors."

Once your plant's back home, don't place it on a porch or in a conservatory, because poinsettias don't like draughts. You're better off putting it in a warmer room like the living room, but not near a radiator.

"The worst place is a draughty window sill especially if you draw the curtains on them leaving them in the cold space," says Mitchell. "These plants like good light, but are not so demanding for high light as many other house plants. The main point is to keep them warm, between 15 to 20 degrees, and away from draughts, avoiding sudden temperature changes."

Poinsettias should be watered as the compost begins to dry out. Don't over-water them or the leaves will drop off and don't leave them to dry out com-

pletely or they may not recover.

After Christmas, allow the poinsettia some time to rest and become almost dormant by reducing watering. When bracts begin to look old and tired in late winter or spring, don't worry if the leaves droop or fall.

In June, prune the plant back to approximately a third of its size. Repot, feed and water at this stage regularly to build a well-shaped plant.

New growth will sprout, so stand it in good but not bright light, water regularly and apply liquid fertiliser every two weeks throughout summer.

From the end of September, ensure the plant has natural day length rather than any artificial light. Poinsettias, which are cultivars of Euphorbia pulcherrima, set bracts and flowers in response to short days. Most will need to have light excluded to ensure 14 hours of darkness out of 24 for eight weeks during the run-up to Christmas.

Once there are more hours of darkness than light, the plant will begin to change colour. If you begin the initiation process at the end of September, you should start to see a subtle colour change by mid-October and the full transformation by the end of November.



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## A BRIDGE OVER TROUBLED LAGER - VOLUME 2

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# TRANSMISSION

*Your guide to local live music*

## upcoming gigs

### Thursday 11 Dec

Marine Theatre,  
LYME REGIS  
**Blast from the past  
Victoria Christmas**  
7.30pm. £12/£10  
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### Friday 12 Dec

Royal Portland Arms,  
PORTLAND  
**The Bluesolar Volts**  
9pm.

Arts Centre, BRIDPORT  
**Blast from the past  
Victoria Christmas**  
11am. £10/£8

Arts Centre,  
DORCHESTER  
**Blast from the past  
Victoria Christmas**  
Doors 7.30pm. £12/£10  
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### Saturday 13 Dec

Re-Loved Vintage & Tea  
Rooms/Bistro, 2 Cornhill,  
DORCHESTER  
01305 257070

**Bernardo playing  
vintage guitar**

7pm.  
Free entry, booking advised

Nag's Head, LYME REGIS  
**Relics**

Crown Inn, BRIDPORT  
**Misspelt Yoof** 9.30pm  
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### Sunday 14 Dec

Nag's Head, LYME REGIS  
**Bug Tree Swamp  
Christmas Show &  
Christmas Jumper  
Party** 4pm.

Crown Inn, BRIDPORT  
**Nina Garcia** 4-6pm  
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### Saturday 20 Dec

Lord Nelson, BRIDPORT  
**John De Barra**

Re-Loved Vintage & Tea  
Rooms/Bistro, 2 Cornhill,  
DORCHESTER  
01305 257070

**Bernardo playing  
vintage guitar**  
7pm.

Free entry, booking advised

Nag's Head, LYME REGIS  
**1/2 Jack**  
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### Friday 26 Dec

Hope & Anchor,  
BRIDPORT  
**John De Barra** 8.30pm  
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### Saturday 27 Dec

Nag's Head, LYME REGIS  
**Perfect Strangers**

## Festive folk from Fairport founder

# ONE FOR THE ROAD WITH THE ALBION CHRISTMAS BAND

THE Albion Christmas Band has begun preparations for its annual foray into the musical joys of the festive season, and the band arrives in Lyme Regis on Monday, December 15th as part of its 'One For The Road' tour. The Marine Theatre's audience will have the opportunity to unwind and escape from all the hustle and bustle of the seasonal preparations and enjoy a packed evening of seasonal carols, spoken word, humorous readings and dance.

This year's tour coincides with the release of the band's live album of the same name. The album was recorded by Rooksmere Records during the band's fifteenth anniversary tour last year at London's prestigious Kings Place. The album was officially released on Monday, December 1st and features a selection of songs, tunes and readings from the two-hour show as well as capturing the atmosphere of the evening's performance. This year's show at the Marine Theatre will feature highlights from that recording plus many old favourites.

The Albion Christmas Band evolved from special seasonal shows by the last incarnation of the Albion Band. On a suggestion from Simon Nicol, a previous Albion band member himself, Ashley 'The Guv'nor' Hutchings brought together two other previous Albion Band members to create an autonomous band to present a guided tour through the Christmas customs of Britain. Using an interesting mix of traditional seasonal songs and adding a modern twist with some newly written songs the show is the antithesis of the 'Christmas specials' filling television

screens, reminding audiences of the simpler pleasures and values of a traditional Christmas.

The Albion Christmas Band features the combined talents of Simon Nicol (founder member of Fairport Convention) on acoustic guitar and vocals, Kellie While (Albion Band), acoustic guitar, vocals and percussion, Simon Care (Edward II), melodeons, and the Guv'nor himself, Ashley Hutchings, (founder of Fairport Convention, Al-

bion Band, and Steeleye Span) on bass guitar and vocals.

To book tickets for the concert at Lyme Regis's Marine Theatre contact the box office on 01297 442138 or visit the Marine Theatre's website [www.marinetheatre.com](http://www.marinetheatre.com)

For more information about the Albion Christmas Band visit the website [www.albionchristmas.co.uk](http://www.albionchristmas.co.uk)



The Albion Christmas Band

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### FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Saturday 13th December  
**RELICS**

Sunday 14th December, 4pm  
**THE BUG TREE SWAMP  
CHRISTMAS SHOW  
& CHRISTMAS JUMPER PARTY**

Saturday 20th December  
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## JURASSIC FIELDS TICKETS ON SALE FOR CHRISTMAS

STUCK for a Christmas present or just planning ahead for next summer's you could do no worse than buy tickets for the second Jurassic Fields Music Festival which have just been released online.

So grab yourself a bargain and get a Day Ticket at a discounted rate or following requests from this year's feedback, one of 150 Evening tickets.

This year's event, the first of its kind in West Dorset, received glowing praise from all quarters including the sponsors, local council, the bands and the public, for its content and the professional way in which it was planned and organised.

The daylong "not for profit" event will be held once again at Asker Meadows, Bridport on Saturday July 11th from 10am -11pm.

Evening Tickets (£15) will be limited to 150 and this will allow you access to the festival after 7pm. Daytime tickets (£25) are discounted for the first 400 (£20) and then will increase to the standard price.

If you want them for a Christmas gift be sure to order by December 18th to guarantee delivery before Christmas.

For details of all ticket prices and concessions for children, disabled and over 60s go visit the website at [www.jurassicfields.com/tickets](http://www.jurassicfields.com/tickets).



GREAT EVENT: Headliners Dodgy in action at this summer's Jurassic Fields



# McGrath and Pope bring 'A Bridge Over Troubled Lager - Volume 2' to Lyme Regis

FOLLOWING a hugely successful run at this year's Edinburgh Festival, Rory McGrath and his musical partner Philip Pope, hit the road, this Autumn, with their hilarious musical show A Bridge Over Troubled Lager - Volume 2.

McGrath and Pope's marriage of mirth will once again combine Rory's sublime lyrics - a signature combination of sophistication, wryness and downright filth - with the mature elegance and artistry of Philip's music. Expect dozens of songs, rudely interrupted by the pair's backchat and bickering on subjects including - but not limited to - social media, pets, Scottish independence, Philip's toe, love, marriage, Croatian pop in the 90's and foul language. And then there's reality TV, conservation, Schubert, heavy metal, the French, hardline Christianity and the Polish word for a mayfly.

Rory McGrath - comedy writer, presenter, actor and singer-songwriter - was born in Cornwall and read modern languages at Cambridge. He started his career as house comedy writer for BBC Radio LE, writing for Frankie Howerd, Dave Allen, Roy Hudd, David Jason, Alfred Marks and many others. Besides writing for shows such as Who Dares Wins and Alas Smith and Jones, he was a co-founder of Hat Trick Productions - responsible for such classics as Whose Line is it Anyway?, Father Ted, Have I

Got News For You and Chelmsford 123. In the '90s, he became a mainstay on hit sports/comedy panel show They Think it's all Over. More recently McGrath has been a regular on Grumpy Old Men, Three Men in a Boat and Great British Adventure (Paddy McGuinness, Will Mellor) and has presented numerous documentaries on history, engineering, beer and wine and nature. His writing exploits have brought two autobiographical works - the Sunday Times bestseller Bearded Tit (about love and bird-watching), and The Father, the Son and the Ghostly Hole (being brought up a Catholic). He is also a passionate Arsenal supporter.

Philip Pope first appeared at the Fringe with the Oxford Revue in the late '70s with Angus Deayton, Geoffrey Perkins and Helen Atkinson Wood with whom he then appeared in Radio Active on Radio 4 for 7 series. He soon became known for his vocal impressions and from this came parody band The Hee Bee Gee Bees in the '80s - he was the driving musical force. He went on to be musical director and lead singer for Spitting Image (The No1 hit The Chicken Song was his handiwork). Like McGrath he also starred in TV's Who Dares Wins and Chelmsford 123, as well as Not The Nine O'Clock News, KYTV, Shelley and Blackadder. He also donned a cunning disguise and altered

his voice to become Tony Angelino, the 'Crying' speech impediment singer in a classic episode of Only Fools and Horses. He has recently guested in the very popular Outnumbered and acclaimed spoof documentary The Life of Rock with Brian Pern. He is a regular cast member of Radio 4 favourite Old Harry's Game - Andy Hamilton's long-running radio show about Satan. As a musician and composer, Philip's credits read like a who's who of British comedy and include The Hitchhiker's Guide to the Galaxy, Fry & Laurie, The Lenny Henry Show, Dirk Gently, Whose Line is it Anyway?, The Fast Show and Harry & Paul and he has written music for a vast amount of TV and radio shows such as Outnumbered, Jonathan Creek, Badults and Yonderland, as well as Gimme Gimme Gimme, My Hero and Benidorm. He has also composed for films including Kevin & Perry Go Large. He is also an avid Arsenal supporter.

Rory McGrath and Philip Pope bring *Bridge Over Troubled Lager - Volume 2* to the Marine Theatre, Lyme Regis on Friday, December 12th, at 8pm.

Tickets are £13, £12 (concessions). To book tickets, contact TIC on 01297 442138 or visit the website at [www.marinetheatre.com](http://www.marinetheatre.com)



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8.00pm  
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Monday 15th December  
**AN ALBION CHRISTMAS**  
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## Sara Pascoe vs History

SARA Pascoe, Star of Stand Up For the Week and Campus(C4), Live at the Apollo, QI, Never Mind The Buzzcocks, Mock The Week and Twenty Twelve (BBC) presents her first ever UK tour show.

With a comedy brain that leaps from stimulating arguments onto abstract confabulation with lumpy doses of

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The past contains wars, witches, Kim Jong-il and your ex. Your brain can recall being a child, while your body remembers being a monkey. Everything that has happened shapes who we are today...

'Sara Pascoe vs History' is at the Electric Palace on Saturday, January 17th 2015. Doors open 7pm, with the performance starting at 8pm. Tickets are £12 plus booking fee in advance, or £14 on the door.

For more details and tickets visit [www.electricpalace.org.uk](http://www.electricpalace.org.uk) or call 01308 424901

## Movie star Paddington starts tour of Dorset



Paddington on Weymouth beach

PADDINGTON Bear has arrived in Dorset and has embarked on what will be the start of many adventures around the county over the next couple of months.

The Visit Dorset Tourism Partnership are pleased to be working with VisitBritain as part of their global PR, digital and social media campaign to promote Britain as a GREAT destination on the back of the international release of the new Paddington film.

Dorset has been lucky enough to be selected to host the famous marmalade loving bear, and the Visit Dorset team will be busy sharing photos of Paddington at key locations around Dorset until the end of January using the hashtag #PaddingtonsBritain.

Paddington's itinerary has so far seen him build a sandcastle on Weymouth Beach, visit the Olympic Rings on Portland and take a 'selfie' at the Portland Bill lighthouse.

Paddington has also discovered the many fine visitor attractions that Dorchester has to offer including the Keep Military Museum, Thomas Hardy's statue and the Teddy Bear Museum, where Paddington met his ancestors.

A visit to Dorset wouldn't be complete without a 'set jetting' trip to West Bay and Paddington took great delight in visiting the filming location of popular ITV drama Broadchurch.

Nick Thornley, on behalf of the Visit Dorset Tourism Partnership, said "We are delighted to welcome Paddington to Dorset and are thrilled to be working with VisitBritain on this engaging national campaign. Paddington's well known love of exploring new places makes him the perfect icon for inspiring visitors to discover all that is 'GREAT' about Dorset"

You can follow Paddington's Dorset adventure by visiting [www.facebook.com/VisitDorset](http://www.facebook.com/VisitDorset) or keep up to date on Twitter with Paddington's travels around Britain by using the hashtag #PaddingtonsBritain.

The Visit Dorset Tourism Partnership is made up of the district and borough councils from West Dorset, Christchurch, Purbeck, East Dorset and Weymouth & Portland. The tourism team of the West Dorset and Weymouth & Portland Shared Services Partnership is co-ordinating this activity on behalf of the other rural Dorset local authorities.



Paddington at West Bay

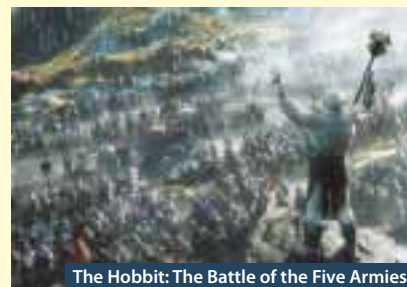
## Swimming lessons at Highlands End

HIGHLANDS End at Eype are once again offering intensive swimming lessons during the festive season.

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## This week's new cinema



The Hobbit: The Battle of the Five Armies

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A WIDOW falls for a man who bears a striking resemblance to her late husband.

Stars Annette Bening, Ed Harris and Robin Williams.

### STILL LIFE <sup>TBC</sup>

A COUNCIL case worker looks for the relatives of those found dead and alone.

Stars Eddie Marsan, Joanne Froggatt and Karen Drury.

## Cinema Listings

Friday, Dec 12<sup>th</sup> - Thurs, Dec 18<sup>th</sup>  
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**The Imitation Game** <sup>12A</sup>  
Fri, Mon, Tue, Thu: 12.00

**The Hobbit: The Battle of the Five Armies** <sup>12A</sup>

Fri, Mon, Thu: 15.35, 19.15  
Sat, Sun, Wed: 12.00, 15.35, 19.15  
Tue: 15.10

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**Scrooge** <sup>U</sup> Thu: 13.00

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**Penguins of Madagascar** <sup>U</sup>  
Daily: 14.00, 16.10, 18.20  
plus Sat & Sun: 11.50am

**Paddington** <sup>PG</sup>  
Daily: 12.45, 15.00, 17.15, 19.30  
plus Sat & Sun: 10.30, 11.30, 13.45

**Get Santa** <sup>U</sup>  
Fri-Sun, Tue, Thu: 15.20, 17.45  
Mon, Wed: 15.20

**The Hunger Games: Mockingjay - Part 1** <sup>12A</sup>  
Fri, Mon-Thu: 14.15, 17.00, 19.45

Sat & Sun: 12.30, 17.50, 20.35  
**The Hobbit: The Battle of the Five Armies** <sup>12A</sup>

Daily: 12.45, 13.30, 14.45, 16.00, 16.45, 18.00, 19.15, 20.00, 20.45  
plus Sat & Sun: 10.25, 11.35

**Black Sea** <sup>15</sup>  
Fri, Mon-Thu: 12.30

**The Imitation Game** <sup>12A</sup>  
Fri, Mon-Thu: 13.00, 15.35, 18.10

plus Sat & Sun: 18.10  
**The House of Magic** <sup>U</sup>

Sat & Sun: 10.30am

**Frozen Sing-along** <sup>U</sup>  
Sat & Sun: 10.30am

**St Vincent** <sup>12A</sup>

Fri-Wed: 20.30

**Men, Women and Children** <sup>15</sup>  
Fri, Mon-Wed: 12.00

**The Pyramid** <sup>15</sup>

Fri, Mon, Wed, Thu: 12.05, 21.05  
Sat, Sun: 21.05

Tue: 12.05

**Nativity 3: Dude, Where's My Donkey** <sup>U</sup>

Sat & Sun: 12.30, 15.15  
Mon, Wed: 17.40

**Horrible Bosses 2** <sup>15</sup>

Fri-Mon, Wed, Thu: 18.40, 21.10  
Tue: 21.10

**Interstellar** <sup>12A</sup>

Daily: 20.10

**Tinker Bell and the Legend of the NeverBeast** <sup>12A</sup>

Daily: 12.55, 14.50, 16.45  
plus Sat: 10.00am

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## Seasonal treats with Tierra Kitchen's Mark Evans



### Make it yourself...

## Chocolate, Plum and Almond pudding with Orange Butterscotch Sauce

THIS chocoholic pudding is a favourite at Tierra Kitchen. We make it dairy free, but just substitute eggs, butter and cream as indicated for the dairy version.



### Method

1. Pre heat oven to 160c
2. Grease and line a 25cm square / 4cm deep baking dish with grease proof lining paper.
3. Gently toast the almonds (in the oven)
4. Mix half the chocolate – 200 gm with the margarine (butter) in a bowl and gently melt over hot water 'bain-marie' – stir carefully and quickly to ensure chocolate doesn't get too hot and split. i.e. don't boil! Let cool for 5 minutes
5. Meanwhile mix the sugar, coffee and soya cream in mixer (or by hand in deep bowl. If using eggs instead of soya, add one by one). Then add the melted chocolate to the mix.
6. Add the flour and baking powder. Mix until smooth, and then add the almonds and plums.
7. Finally add the remaining chocolate and transfer to lined baking dish.
8. Bake for 20 minutes at 160c, then turn oven down to 140c and bake for a further 8 to 10 minutes. The pudding should be very moist and chocolaty in the centre. Serve immediately or cool re heat later.

### Ingredients

- 400 gm dark 70% chocolate pistols or bars cut into 3mm squares
- 225 gm organic vegan margarine (or 225 gm unsalted butter)
- 225 gm caster sugar
- 1 expresso or 1 dessert spoon coffee essence
- 9 dessert spoons soya cream (or 3 medium organic eggs)
- 90 gm plain white flour
- 1 teaspoon baking powder
- 150 gm flaked almonds
- 250 gm or 6 medium dark plums cut into 3mm chunks

### Orange butterscotch sauce

#### Ingredients

- 100 gm golden granulated sugar
- 150 gm golden syrup
- 40 gm organic vegan margarine (unsalted butter)
- Fine zest and juice of one orange
- 150 ml soya cream (200 ml double cream)

#### Method

PUT all the ingredients apart from the soya cream in a small saucepan and gently bring to the boil, and simmer for 5 to 10 minutes until golden orange brown. *n.b. do not take to caramel stage.* Finally, whisk in the soya (dairy) cream, and the sauce is ready.

### Make it yourself...

## Mid Winter Torte

THIS centre piece dish takes a bit of effort to prepare, but ticks all the boxes in December with seasonal ingredients but still has a rich multi layered texture and flavour. The wild mushrooms and hazelnut has a deep earthy taste, the spinach is light, and the butternut squash mash is smooth and almost sweet.

*Serves 6*



### Ingredients

- 120 gm peeled and roasted hazelnuts, roughly chopped
- 50 gm dried trompettes or porcini mushrooms soaked in a small glass of white wine for 5 minutes, then drained and chopped (keep the wine)
- 220 gm puy lentils
- 1 large onion peeled and fine diced
- 3 cloves garlic fine chopped
- 1 small leek fine chopped
- 2 small to medium butternut squash (600-700 gms)
- 150 gm / 2 medium potatoes
- 400 gm loose leaf spinach (carefully washed and shaken dry)
- 50ml olive oil
- salt and pepper
- A couple of good pinches of nutmeg
- 1 tablespoon maple syrup

### Method

1. Pre heat oven to 170c. Peel the butternut squash, cut in half lengthways and remove the seeds. Then cut into roughly 2 cm square pieces. Baste the squash with two tablespoons of olive oil and one tablespoon of maple syrup, season well. Arrange the squash on a roasting tray and roast gently for approx. 40 minutes until cooked through and tender, but without colour. Peel the potatoes, bring to boil and simmer for approx. 25 minutes until cooked through.

2. To make the wild mushrooms / hazelnut layer, first bring a medium pan of water to the boil, add some salt, then add the lentils and simmer for 15-20 minutes so they are just tender, but still a little al-

dente. Transfer to a colander to drain the excess water. Add a little olive oil to keep moist, but do not run under a tap. Allow to cool. Meanwhile, in a medium pan on a moderate heat, sauté the onion in a little olive oil for 2 minutes or until becoming translucent, add the garlic, leek and the finely chopped drained mushrooms, sauté and stir for a further 5 minutes. At this stage, add the drained lentils, sauté and stir for a further 4 minutes, season well with salt and pepper. Allow to cool for 5 minutes, then add the chopped hazelnuts. Evenly transfer the mix to an appropriate sized baking dish (approx. 25cmx20cm, with a depth of at least 5cm)

3. For the wilted spinach layer,

heat up a large frying pan with a little olive oil and add 1/3 of the spinach, season well with a good pinch of nutmeg and sea salt, wilt quickly so the spinach retains its basic shape and then add evenly onto the trompette and hazelnut layer. Repeat until all the spinach is wilted and added.

4. Finally transfer the squash to a good sized bowl, add the cooked potatoes and 2 tablespoons of olive oil. Then mash until fine, creamy and smooth. Spread evenly over the spinach layer.

To serve, bake the finished layered torte for 20-25 minutes at 170c.

This Christmas centrepiece is delicious with home-made gravy and all the traditional trimmings!



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### Appetisers

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- Mulled spice roasted nut mix (v, g, n) **£3.50**

### Starters

- Local Jerusalem artichoke and saffron soup, with toasted almonds (v, g) **£6.50**
- Applewood cheddar and chestnut soufflé, with red chilli croute, poached baby figs and watercress (v, n) **£6.50**
- Sautéed carrot and almond cakes, with sesame, avocado and tamari reduction (v, g, n) **£6.50**

### Main Courses

- Glazed parsnip and butternut squash tart tatin, homemade all-butter puff pastry bake, served with caramelised red onion and sautéed local kale, glazed carrots and pomegranate syrup **£13.90**
- Six Winter vegetable tagine, Crown Prince pumpkin, parsnip, local carrots, leeks, parsley root, kohlrabi, slow cooked with raz el hanout, preserved lemon, apricots and figs, served with mint giant couscous, toasted almonds and yogurt (option for v, g) **£13.50**
- Mid-winter Torte, individual bake of layered trompette mushroom and hazelnut, wilted local spinach, creamed butternut squash, served with roast parsnip and Madeira sauce (v, g, n) **£13.90**

### Desserts

- Steamed cranberry and orange pudding with vanilla crème Anglaise and winter fruit compote **£6.50**
- Hot dark chocolate plum and almond pudding with orange butterscotch sauce and Tierra coconut ice cream (v, n) **£6.50**
- Raspberry rosehip and Cava trifle (v, g, n) served with honeycomb and hazelnut ice cream **£6.50**

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# DINING OUT IN WEST DORSET



## ellipse West Bay's Bistro and Bar

**E**LLIPSE in West Bay has been transformed in the last 12 months and has been given a new contemporary look with a striking new bar at the heart of it.

The focus at Ellipse is the fantastic food. They pride themselves on serving authentic Italian food, the way it would be cooked in Italy. Everything is made fresh, in house, from good quality local ingredients. Absolutely nothing is reheated from frozen, not even the sauces. It's all made to order, even the pizza dough!

Despite having moved away from being a café and now being purely a bistro and bar, the new Ellipse is still serving coffees, and fresh baked pastries every morning until 12pm, when it is then lunch only until 3pm. In the Bistro you are greeted with table service, yet a relaxed, informal atmosphere.

Almost all the tables boast stunning panoramic views of Lyme Bay through glass

walls, which arch around from the east to the south cliff. Sunsets can be truly spectacular, as they have been on the recent clear evenings, with golden sunlight setting over Lyme Bay and flooding the interior with wonderful light. No other building in West Bay has such truly stunning views.

In the evening Ellipse transforms with the stunning bar providing the centre-piece, it's coloured lights illuminate this stylish, modern restaurant. The seafront location can become well hidden in the dark winter nights, but rest assured Ellipse is open every Friday and Saturday evening through the winter, as well as Thursday evenings up until the week before Christmas.

Boxing Day provides the perfect opportunity to sample what Ellipse has to offer. Visit the seaside resort, watch the brave souls take the Boxing Day Swim in the sea, and retreat to Ellipse to warm yourself with one of their famous Hot Chocolate's or perhaps something a little stronger such as an Ellipse Snowball Cocktail. Made from orange syrup,

vodka, Cointreau, milk, and ice, it is the ultimate festive drink.

The restaurant is now taking bookings for both Boxing Day and New Years Day lunch, so be sure to reward your festive stroll along the beach with a beautiful Italian lunch with the family, you can even bring your dog with you in the day time! A sample menu can be found on the opposite page.

The chefs are well known locally with excellent reputations, and can cater for all dietary requirements on request (allergens are available for every dish that is served if you should require them). Watch them work through the open Kitchen pass as they prepare everything from scratch.

Pop in and have a look for yourselves and sample the wonderful atmosphere, food, and drinks that Ellipse has to offer, while taking in the breathtaking surroundings.

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# West Bay,

## ellipse lunch menu

Served from 12pm to 3pm daily

### APPETISERS

Mixed Marinated Olives **£3.50**  
Focaccia Bread, Balsamic Vinegar & Olive Oil **£3.50**  
Garlic Pizza Bread **£4**, with Mozzarella **£4.50**

### LIGHT LUNCHES

**Bruschetta £6.50**  
Tomato, Olives and Basil on Toasted Focaccia  
**Soup of the Day with Focaccia £5.25**  
**Chicken Liver Pate £6.25**  
Caramelised Red Onion and Focaccia  
**Antipasti Plate £6.95**  
Selection of Cheeses, Meats, Olives, Artichokes, Tomatoes  
**House Recipe Minestrone £7.25**  
With Pasta and Focaccia

### Frittata £6.50

Italian thick vegetable omelette, served with mixed salad

### Chicken Cacciatore £7.45

Chicken, garlic, tomato, onion & olives, with roasted potatoes

### Lasagne Al Forno £6.95

House recipe oven baked lasagne

### MAINS

**Seafood Chowder £8.95**  
A thick creamy seafood broth  
**Spaghetti Carbonara £9.95**  
Made the traditional way with Pancetta in a rich egg yolk & cream sauce, freshly ground black pepper and grated Parmesan  
**Melanzane alla Parmigiana £8.50**  
A classic Northern Italy dish, aubergine layered with Parmesan cheese and tomato ragu

**Spaghetti with Meatballs £9.95**  
House recipe meatballs in a rich tomato sauce, topped with freshly ground black pepper and grated Parmesan.  
**Risotto of the Day £10.95**  
Please ask your server for details  
**Antipasti Platter £13.95**  
Cheese, meats, salami, olives, marinated artichokes, tomatoes and Italian bread

### SIDES

Mixed Salad **£4.00** • Roasted Vegetables **£4.00**  
Roasted Potato Wedges **£4.00** • House Baked Focaccia Bread **£2.00**

### PIZZAS (Available in two sizes: approx. 8" and 12")

**Margherita £9 / Small £6.50**  
Tomato, Mozzarella, Oregano and extra virgin olive oil  
**Tropicana £10 / Small £7.50**  
Tomato, Mozzarella, Ham, Pineapple  
**Al Vegetali £10 / Small £7.50**  
Tomato, Mozzarella, Roasted Seasonal Vegetables, Fresh Basil  
**Gorgonzola £11 / Small £8.50**  
Tomato, Mozzarella, Mushroom, Salami, Gorgonzola Cheese  
**Festino de Carne £11 / Small £8.50**  
Tomato, Mozzarella, Pancetta, Salami, Local pork sausage

**Diavola £11 / Small £8.50**  
Tomato, Mozzarella, Chilli, Spicy Sausage, Roasted Peppers, Jalapeno Peppers  
**Quattro Stagioni £11 / Small £8.50**  
Tomato, Mozzarella, Ham, Artichoke, Local pork sausage, Mushroom, Mixed Olives  
**Fiorentina £11 / Small £8.50**  
Tomato, Mozzarella, Spinach, Egg, Olives  
**Pescatore £12 / Small £9.50**  
Tomato, Mozzarella, Seafood, Garlic and Chilli

### HOME MADE PUDDINGS

**Panacotta £6.00 • Tiramisu £6.00 •**  
**Affogato £4.00** A scoop of vanilla ice cream, with a single shot of hot espresso  
**Ice Cream or Sorbet (2 scoops) £4** Please ask your server for available flavours

## ellipse evening menu

Served from 6.30pm to 9.30pm

### APPETISERS

**Mixed Olives & Focaccia £4.50**  
With Extra Virgin Olive Oil & Balsamic Vinegar  
**Garlic Pizza Bread £4 with Mozzarella £4.50**

**Chicken Liver Pate £6.25** Caramelised Red Onion & Toasted Focaccia

**Soup £5.50** With Warm Focaccia

**Stuffed Portabella Mushroom £6.50** Bread Crumbs, Garlic and Gorgonzola Filling

### MAINS

**Lasagne Al Forno £12.00**  
Our House Recipe Lasagne, with Garlic Bread or Salad

**Spaghetti Carbonara £12.00**  
With Pancetta, Egg Yolk & Cream, Ground Black Pepper and Grated Parmesan with Garlic Bread or Salad

**Melanzane alla Parmigiana £12.00**  
Aubergine Layered with Parmesan & Tomato Ragu, with Garlic Bread or Salad

**Risotto £11.00**  
Please ask your server for details of the

day's Risotto

**Chicken Saltimbocca £15.00**  
Free Range Chicken Breast wrapped in Parma Ham and Sage Leaves, served with soft Gorgonzola Polenta & seasonal greens

**Smoked Salmon Tagliatelle £12.50**  
In a Creamy Tomato and Brandy Sauce, with Garlic Bread or Salad

**Casarecce with Goats Cheese £12.00**  
With Sundried Tomato and Spinach, with Garlic Bread or Salad

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### CALZONE (Folded Pizza)

**Ham, Mushroom, Cheese & Tomato £13.00**  
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### DESSERTS

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## View 2 Diary Dates

### WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 10TH

**ROUSDON, LYME REGIS:** Combyrne Rousdon Social Club's Annual Turkey Bingo. Half time refreshments and bar, club open 7.30, eyes down at 8pm. Come one, come all and have some bingo fun! Contact Sarah Powell (01297) 443235 for further details

### THURSDAY DECEMBER 11TH

**WEYMOUTH:** Salvation Army Coffee Morning and Table Top Sale, West Ham Road, from 10.30am-12.30pm. All welcome. Every Thursday. For more details or enquiries call 01305 774244

**LYME REGIS:** Christmas Bingo at the Woodmead Halls, 8pm.

**DORCHESTER:** West Dorset Diabetes UK Voluntary Group Christmas Party at the Dorford Centre (DT1 1RR) opposite the Top o' Town car park. 7pm for 7.30pm. Everyone affected by diabetes is welcome to come along and enjoy some Christmas fare and festive fun. For more details call 01305 784891.

**DORCHESTER:** Thursday Group - Carols and Mince Pies at St George's Hall, Fordington. Charge of £1. Everyone welcome. Collection of tin/packaged food for Dorchester Food Bank.

### FRIDAY DECEMBER 12TH

**BROADMAYNE:** Market 2-3.30pm, St Martin's Community Hall, (Next to the Church) lots of Christmas items, Cakes, Preserves, Raffle, Craft, Plants, Bric-a-brac, books, Jigsaws, Cards, Local Pork, Sausages and Eggs, Local Watercress, Plants from a local Nursery and a chance to sit and chat with a cup of tea or coffee. All proceeds to St Martin's Community Hall. For further information please contact Eleanor Piper 01305 853765.

**LYME REGIS:** Lyme Regis U3A - Coffee/tea at 10am followed at 11am by a talk by Judith Burke on her recent journey along the Camino de Santiago from western France to Santiago de Compostella. This talk replaces one by Philip Howse who has had to cancel. Woodmead Hall, followed by Christmas drinks and nibbles until 2.30pm. Members free, visitors £2.

**LYME REGIS:** Lyme Bay Photographic Club Christmas Lunch at Hunter's Lodge, Raymond's Hill. For more details call 01297 444733

**CHARMOUTH:** Bingo Evening at St Andrew's Community Hall, Lower Sea Lane. Doors 7pm, eyes down 7.30pm.

### SATURDAY DECEMBER 13TH

**UPLYME:** Ballroom, Latin and some Sequence Dancing at the village hall, 8-10.30pm. £4.50 per person in aid of hall funds. For more details call 01297 442439.

**BRIDPORT:** Christmas Coffee Morning at Bridport Outdoor Bowls Club at the Priory Lane Club-house. 10am-12.30pm. Various stalls.

**THORNCOMBE:** Cantamus Choir concert - 'A Great Mystery' - Music for Christmastide. At St Mary Church from 6pm. Tickets £8 on the door.

**BURTON BRADSTOCK:** Burton Bradstock School Christmas Fayre, 10am-12noon. Festive stalls, raffle, refreshments, family fun and lots more. Raising money for new maths equipment, and interactive white board, and contributing to school trips.

### SUNDAY DECEMBER 14TH

**PUDDLETOWN:** Ridgeway Singers and Band West Gallery Carol Concert at St Mary's Church. 3.30pm.

**BRIDPORT:** Mulled Wine and Mince Pies at the Alleyways Antiques Centre, 10am-4pm.

### MONDAY DECEMBER 15TH

**OSMINGTON:** Jim Davis presents An Afternoon with the BBC Concert Orchestra for Osmington Recorded Music Society, 2.15pm at the Village Hall, Shortlake Lane. Further info tel: 01305 262121

**BRIDPORT:** Bridport Folk Dance Club - Christmas party night at 7.30-10pm in the WI Hall, North Street. Enjoy folk dancing mainly in the English tradition from Playford-style to modern-day compositions at Bridport's long-established weekly club - this week featuring guest caller Eileen Nightingale with live music from Chris Toyne. No partner or previous experience required. Bring a few nibbles to share. Admission £2. Contact Jane on 01308 898 002 or Monty on 01308 423 442. Club then closed until Monday 5th January.

### TUESDAY DECEMBER 16TH

**WHITCHURCH CANONICORUM:** Christmas Bingo at the village hall. Doors 7.30pm, eyes down 8pm.

**CROSSWAYS:** The History of Kingston Maurward Estate at Crossways Library, Old Farm Way. 7.30pm. Everyone welcome for an interesting evening with a festive touch, including coffee and mince pies. All for just £3 or £2 for members of the Friends.

### WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 17TH

**EYPE:** West Dorset & Fine Arts Society Christmas Meeting at Highlands End Leisure Centre at 2.30pm. For more details call 01297 443615

# NEW ARCHAEOLOGY GALLERY AT DORSET COUNTY MUSEUM

## Archaeology Gallery at Dorset County Museum being redeveloped in spring 2015

THE Archaeology Gallery at Dorset County Museum is currently being redeveloped as part of a £250,000 project supported by the Heritage Lottery Fund (HLF) Landscape Partnership Scheme and the South Dorset Ridgeway Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty (AONB).

Upon its completion in summer 2015 the new gallery will become the visitor centre for the South Dorset Ridgeway. Ultimately it will link in with information panels to be displayed along the ridgeway itself helping visitors explore the AONB and understand the sites that can be seen there today.

"This is a very special project for us," said Jon Murden, director of Dorset County Museum. "The archaeology of Dorset is the history of over 10,000 years of human habitation in the county - our collections are nationally significant and cover the entire

period from paleolithic times to Saxon and Viking Dorset."

When the new Ancient Dorset Gallery (the new name for the former Archaeology Gallery) opens at the Museum, the centrepiece will be a special display of the Viking skeletons found during the construction of the Weymouth Relief Road in 2009.

During the initial work (December to March 2014) the existing gallery will be open but artefacts from some display cases will be removed for conservation. Other key objects will be redisplayed in the museum during this time.

The design of the new gallery will ensure that when work starts on the Museum's planned Collection Discovery Centre, the improved displays will be moved into the new extension at minimum cost.

While the work is being undertaken, visitors will be able to

enjoy a special spotlight loan from the British Museum of three jadeite axes and some mace heads from their own collection. Dorset County Museum's own jadeite axe will be displayed alongside these loans.

For further information visit [www.dorsetcountymuseum.org](http://www.dorsetcountymuseum.org). Dorset County Museum is open Monday to Saturday, 10am to 4pm.



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**LYME REGIS:** Christmas Bingo at the Woodmead Halls, 8pm.

**DORCHESTER:** Talk by Anne Wheatcroft on South Africa, a group tour. Anne ventured into South Africa with a tour group making it possible to get close to many exotic birds in and around Zululand and Kruger National Park. Talk at St George's Hall, Fordington, 7.45pm. Admission £3 for RSPB group members, £3.50 visitors, to include coffee and festive nibbles.

### FRIDAY DECEMBER 19TH

**UPLYME:** Christmas Whist Drive & Raffle at Uplyme Village Hall, 7pm for 7.30pm. £4 per head, including refreshments. All proceeds to Weldmar Hospice Trust. We would love to see as many people as possible.

**LYME REGIS:** Lyme Bay Photographic Club Christmas Party at the Woodmead Halls from 7.30pm. For more details call 01297 444733.

**DORCHESTER:** Dorchester Round Table presents Christmas Club Night at the Spice Centre. 80s, 90s and 00s music. 10.30pm-2am. Tickets from the Spice Centre or No. 35 Coffee House - £6 each. Ticket proceeds to charity.

### SUNDAY DECEMBER 21ST

**WEST BAY, BRIDPORT:** The RNLI's annual Christmas Carols and Songs will take place in the West Bay Hotel from 7.00 pm courtesy of Tess and Sam Good. A fun filled event to round off the year and to welcome Christmas. In addition to good music and song there will be light refreshments and a prize raffle. Ensure early arrival to obtain a seat.

### MONDAY DECEMBER 22ND

**LYME REGIS:** Christmas Bingo at the Woodmead Halls, 8pm.

### SATURDAY JANUARY 3RD

**BRIDPORT:** Bridport Ceilidhs featuring "English Contra Dance Band" with caller Jane Thomas, at Church House (St Mary's) Hall, South Street, Bridport DT6 3NW. Doors open 7.15 for 7.30 - 11.00pm dance. Tickets £8.50 on the door but numbers will be limited for comfortable dancing so better in advance for £7.50 from Bridport Music Shop and Jaxsons Delicatessen; or call to reserve with organiser Monty (on 01308 423442), from whom some complimentary tickets can be made available to first-timers by prior arrangement. See [www.bridportceilidhs.wordpress.com](http://www.bridportceilidhs.wordpress.com)

### TUESDAY JANUARY 6TH

**LYME REGIS:** Lyme Regis Art Society. Meeting 2 p.m. - 4 p.m. at Woodmead Halls, Lyme Regis. Jake Winkle will be demonstrating his techniques in painting wildlife in watercolours. All are welcome. Non-members admittance is £5. Contact Sheila on 01297 445464 for further information.

### MONDAY JANUARY 12TH

**BEAMINSTER:** Beaminster Moviola presents 'Pride'. At Beaminster Public Hall. Doors open 7pm, film from 7.30pm. Tickets available from Yarn Barton £5 in advance or £5.50 on the door. For more details call 01308 861378.

### FRIDAY JANUARY 16TH

**BROADMAYNE:** Market 2-3.30pm, at St Martin's Community Hall (Next to the Church). Cakes, Preserves, Raffle, Craft, Plants, Bric-a-brac, books, Jigsaws, Cards, Local Pork, Sausages and Eggs, Local Watercress, Plants from a local Nursery and a chance to sit and chat with a cup of tea or coffee. All proceeds to St Martin's Community Hall. For further information please contact Eleanor Piper 01305 853765.

**LYME REGIS:** Lyme Bay Photographic Club meeting. Nigel Clarke, Luftwaffe Aerial Photography of the 2nd World War, at Woodmead Halls from 7.30pm.

### TUESDAY JANUARY 20TH

**LYME REGIS:** Lyme Regis Art Society. Meeting 2 p.m. - 4 p.m. at Woodmead Halls, Lyme Regis. A novel way to use your credit cards! Graham Watson is going to show us all a way of using them in creating a painting. All are welcome. Non-members admittance is £5. Contact Sheila on 01297 445464 for further information.

### WEDNESDAY JANUARY 21st

**EYPE:** West Dorset Decorative and Fine Arts Society meeting. 'The Art and Meaning of Maps' lecturer: Prof. Jeremy Black. At Highlands End Leisure Centre, 2.30pm. For more details call 01297 443615.

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#### WEST DORSET DISTRICT COUNCIL APPLICATIONS

**BEAMINSTER** WD/D/14/002964 Conservation Area Outline application to erect two storey detached dwelling and associated landscaping Land at Woodlands, Bridport Road

**BRADPOLE** 1/D/13/001660 Conservation Area The stabilisation of the existing stone boundary wall and bank with ground anchors, along part of the boundary of St. James Park Nursing Home, facing the public highway St James Park Nursing Home, Higher Street

**BRIDPORT** WD/D/14/002965 & WD/D/14/002966 Conservation Area Listed Building Erect single storey extension & 2 no. dormer windows. Install replacement timber windows & carry out internal alterations 67 West Allington

**CERNE ABBAS** WD/D/14/002882 Listed Building Replace 2 ground floor and 2 first floor windows on front elevation with sash windows 4 Duck Street

**CHESELBOURNE** WD/D/14/002846 Affects a Public Right of Way Conversion, extension and alteration of building to form a single dwelling and associated garden Littlemead Farm

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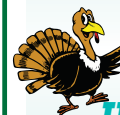
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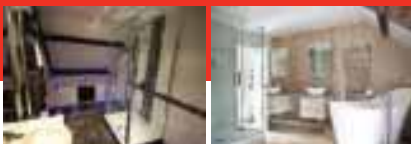
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The RC F's striking appearance has been developed from the show-stopping LF-LC and LF-CC concepts Lexus revealed in 2013. The guiding principle was functional beauty: every element of the exterior styling has been designed to maximise either aerodynamic or cooling efficiency.

The front end is anchored by a new interpretation of the hallmark spindle grille, this time with a double-spindle effect with a graduated F-motif mesh grille that helps ventilate the 5.0-litre engine and, via apertures in the outer corners, ducts cooling air to the front brakes. The importance of cooling is reflected in additional grilles in the outer spindle shape, located to direct air to the oil radiators.

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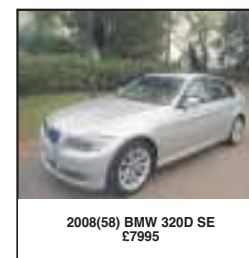
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## Local football round-up

# Netherbury and Pymore in County semi's

## Hounds beaten by prickly Thorns - Uplyme in welcome win

WITH HOWARD LARCOMBE

### DEVON & EXETER Division 3

**Pinhoe 0 Lyme Regis 7**  
LYME Regis moved to within a point of leaders Exmouth Town Reserves with yet another comfortable win over one of the lower teams in the clearly two-tired D & E Division Three.

The Seasideers were on top in a scrappy first-half but only had Dominic Rowe headed goal from a Mark Bailey corner to show for their superiority which saw skipper Matt Laing go close to netting three times.

The lead was doubled ten minutes after the turnaround when a corner was flicked on at the near post by Dec Ellis and holding midfielder Ben Whittington, who was later awarded the team's Player-of-the-Month award for November, nodded home from close in for his third goal in as many matches.

Ellis got on the score sheet next with a cool finish after latching onto a neat pass from Rowe.

The Seasideers eased away and clear at 4-0 when Ellis half-volleyed home at the far post following a good cross from Man-of-the Match Kieran White.

It was then time for striker Joe Bond to take centre stage with a trio of crisp finishes from pinpoint crosses to complete his third consecutive hat-trick.

**Lyme team;** L.Cleal, K.White, A.Cleal, M.Laing (Capt), D.Rowe, M.Bailey, R.Fellingham, B.Whittington, D.Ellis, J.Bond, J.Simier. Subs; C.Larcombe, G.Knight, A.Bellworthy.

### Lyme Regis Res 1 Shepton Beau 8

AS expected Lyme Regis Reserves, low on confidence, were given a pasting by Shepton Beauchamp who fully enhanced their promotion aspiration against some woeful defending by the hosts.

The opening goal arrived in the 20th minute when the Seasideers allowed a corner kick to drop into the six-yard box and Shepton skipper Dougie Whitfield bundled the ball home from close range.

The lead was doubled two minutes later when top-scorer Dan Smith wasn't tracked and made no mistake with a low finish past keeper Mark Tozer.

Lyme went close soon after when rapid winger Tim Bough skipped past his full back before launching an angled chip that had Shepton govtoman Rich Pippin frantically backpedalling before scooping the ball out from under his crossbar.

Smith should have had his second in 26th minute but under hit his poked shot and Alex Rowe comfortably cleared off the line.

From the resulting corner pick-off



**◆ IN-FORM:** Lyme Regis Midfielder Ben Whittington scored for the third game in a row.

the-league centre-back Kris Hastings rose well but guided his header wide.

At the other end Jack Durrant out-paced the visiting defence but smashed his shot high over the bar.

The goal of the game arrived on the half hour when Shepton winger George Pugson was given far too much time to pick out a cross that Sam Hodgkinson expertly headed into the corner.

Lyme needed a response and they got one.

First defender Wallace Blackmore had a header from a corner tipped over by Pippin. The followed up saw the visiting keeper fumble and Cam Fowler lashed the ball home from a yard out.

Shepton almost scored again before the break when a near post flick on from a throw-in eluded Tozer but Ally Rattenbury hooked the ball off the line.

It was 4-1 in the 56th minute when Pugson slotted home into the corner before substitute Jon Spendlow added another with an effort from the edge of the box eight minutes later.

Aaron Sweet got in on the act with a shot that squirmed under Tozer as Lyme began to capitulate.

The unmarked Pugson headed home number seven in the 82nd and Spendlow, once again capitalising on some slack marking, rounded off the rout two minutes from time.

### DORSET JUNIOR CUP QF

**PYMORE 3 STALBRIDGE 1**  
TWO goals from the prolific Tim Hussey saw Pymore put some indifferent league for behind them to reach the last four of the Dorset Junior Cup.

Hussey opened the scoring with a poacher's goal from close range following a corner from Brandon Scadding.

It was 2-0 inside the opening 20 minutes when the livewire striker surged onto a through ball before cleverly lobbing over the visiting keeper.

The hosts were then guilty of stepping off the pressure and allowed Stalbridge back into the game when the referee spotted a dubious handball in the area and awarded a penalty which was despatched to halve to deficit.

But Pymore, champions back in 2003-04, weren't to be denied and clinched their semi-final spot when Hussey's cross was sliced into his own net by an unfortunate defender.

There was still time for Stalbridge to be awarded another penalty, this time for a shirt pull offence that mystified the hosts. But any late alarms were averted by a fine penalty save from govtoman Arthur Gay.

### HANDLEY SPORTS 0 NETHERBURY 2

NETHERBURY progressed into semi-finals of the Dorset Junior Cup, with a hard fought win over Dorset Division Three side Handley Sports.

The Ambers could have taken the lead in the first 30 seconds when Ryan Gall did well to dribble past two defenders but his shot was well saved.

However, the home team had the better of the opening exchanges and should have taken the lead but squandered a good one-on-one chance.

Netherbury edged ahead when defender Richard Pincombe found himself upfield and crossed for Mark Cuff

to plant an excellent header into the top corner.

The hosts team tried to respond but the Netherbury defence held firm and the Ambers were also denied a good shout for a penalty when Gall appeared to be fouled in the box.

The Ambers applied good pressure for large parts of the second half. They had chances to score through Chris Symes and, after dribbling his way past three players - including the



**◆ CARROLL-ESQUE:** Mark Cuff's brace of headers carried Netherbury through to County semi-final.

keeper - Ryan Gall who somehow missed from three yards.

Handley still were dangerous on the break, but the Netherbury back four remained well-drilled to to restrict their chances.

The killer second goal came in the 76th minute when Symes arrowed in a corner and Mark Cuff rose well to score his second headed goal of the match.

"This is a big cup for us and so progress is excellent. I thought our back four were excellent and allowed us to have control and then press for a second goal," said Andy Loundon, who praised Cuff for his two goals, but his star man was defender Gay.

### W & M CHINNOCK 6 MISTERTON 1

A HAT-trick from Mark Cawley keeps West & Middle Chinnock firmly in the running for a first ever Perry Street League Premier Division title.

The hosts were 2-0 up at the break courtesy of an opener from Mizzy old boy Connor Fletcher and a low fizzing volley from the narrowest of angles from Cawley.

The Chinn's player-manager Matt Alford demanded more from his charges at the interval and, despite Sam Tabner pulling one back for the fast-improving visitors, he was pleased to see Cawley complete his fourth hat-trick in consecutive games, Fletcher bag a second and substitute Dan White head home number six.

Alford said: "We were poor in the first-half but much better after the break and took full control.

"But credit also Misterton who battled hard with what is obviously an improving squad."

### S.PETHERTON 4 PERRY STREET 0

SOUTH Petherton further opened up the Premier Division title race as they eased to victory over depleted leaders Perry Street.

An Ashley Smith header on the half-hour put Pethy's noses ahead at the break.

Rich Hebditch added a second from the penalty spot midway through the second 45 before Haydn Smith made it 3-0 and an own goal completed the scoring three minutes from time.

The victory keeps the hosts on the shoulders of the leading pack of four teams.

### CREWKERNE TOWN 5 COMBE RES 1

WITH games in-hand and a 100 percent record Crewkerne Town remain favourites to retain the title they won so conclusively back in May.

The Tigers led through an early Dave John goal at the interval.

John was then fouled in the box five minutes after the turnaround and Jamie Spurdle tucked away the resulting spot-kick.

Spurdle added a third to make the result safe before Mike McCormack expertly chipped home from all of 40 yards. Liam Riste made it 5-0 before Stuart Bicknell bagged the Saints' consolation.

### UPLYME 2 COMBE A

UPLYME leapt out of the Division Two drop zone with a fully deserved victory over a depleted Combe A at Venlake on Saturday.

The Swallows took control from the opening exchanges and took the lead in the seventh minute when a neat team move ended with Jake Bearpark lofting a fine through ball to Dan Boot who clipped past the on-rushing keeper.

The hosts continued to hold the upper hand for the remainder of the half and crafted half a dozen clear-cut chances that they failed to convert.

The pattern continued after the interval with Dan Prendeville, Niall Fifer and Bearpark all striking the woodwork.

They were nearly made to pay at the other end but govtoman Sam Kapur came to rescue with a fine one handed save at full stretch to keep out a header.

The victory was finally secured in the 75th minute when a corner kick found it's way to Will Francis who chested the ball down before swivelling well and volleying into the corner.

### WAYTOWN Hnds 1 THORNCOMBE 2

WAYTOWN manager Mark Hughes pointed out the irony as Thorncombe snatched a later winner through John Allan.

"He shouldn't have even have been on the pitch after striking James Loveridge with his hand after an earlier fracas," said Hughes

Referee John Thorne had his hands full in what was a physical encounter and did eventually dismiss Thorns joint-manager Steve Rodder two minutes from time for a two-footed lunge on Hughes who had come off the substitutes bench.

After a goal less first-half Loveridge, who had another fine game before being forced off with an arm injury, put the Hounds ahead drilling a shot into the bottom corner after being set-up by a crisp move involving Nat Bowditch and Jon Legg.

But the visitors levelled when Warren Gabbidon netted from close in after his initial header had come back off an upright.

Allan crowned off a fine solo run

with the winner.

**COMBE B 4 UPLYME RESERVES 1**  
PROMOTION-chasers Combe B proved too strong for the Uplyme second-string on the Slades Cross slope.

It was goalless for 25 minutes before Combe's Steve Chadwick well fellled in the box and Rich Curwood tucked away the penalty.

Chadwick bagged the second and Ian Banfield made it 3-0 at half-time with Uplyme feeling they themselves should have been awarded a penalty of their own but referee Andy Dyke waved away the appeals.

They went close again in the second period when a cross shot from Sam Wooster came back off the inside of the post and then MoM Andy Snowsill, making a welcome return to the club, had a effort tipped over the bar.

Graham Cleal made it 4-0 before Niall Waterhouse got on the end of a Josh Loescher cross to score for the eight consecutive game.

### RESULTS - December 6th

**DEVON & EXETER LEAGUE Division 3**  
Axminster Town Res 2 Exmouth Amateurs Res 3  
Axmouth Utd 4 University 5ths 0  
Chagford 3 Thorvorton Reserves 0  
Exmouth Town Reserves 3 Cheriton Fitzpaine 3  
Pinhoe 0 Lyme Regis 7  
Teddurn St Mary 4 Clyst Valley Reserves 2  
**DEVON INTERMEDIATE CUP R4**  
Kentsbeare 4 Millway Rise 0  
**DORSET JUNIOR CUP QF**  
Drimpton 7 Maiden Newton & Cattistock 0  
Pymore 3 Stalbridge 1  
Handley Sports 0 Netherbury 2  
**CHALLENGE CUP R1**  
South Petherton 4 Perry Street 0  
West & Middle Chinnock 6 Misterton 1  
**EGILON CUP R1**  
Crewk Rangers Res 7 Chard Rangers Res 5 (aet)  
Hinton St George 2 Merriott Rovers 4

**PREMIER**  
Crewkerne Town 5 Combe Reserves 1  
Lyme Regis Reserves 1 Shepton Beauchamp 8  
**DIVISION ONE**  
Farway Utd 0 Winsham Utd 5  
Luso-Chard 0 Barrington 7



**◆ DOUBLE:** Two goals and an assist from Tim Hussey earned Pymore a place in the Junior Cup semi-finals.

### DIVISION TWO

Ilminster Town A 1 Beaminster Res 5  
Uplyme 2 Combe St Nicholas A 0  
Waytown Hounds 1 Thorncombe 2

### DIVISION THREE

Barrington Res 5 Chard Rangers 0  
Chard Utd Res 6 Dowlish & Donyatt 1  
Merriott Dynamos 5 South Petherton Res 1  
Shepton Beauchamp Res 0 Hawkhurst Utd 1

### FIXTURES - December 13th

**D&E Division Three (all 2.15ko)**  
Axminster Res v Clyst Valley Reserves  
Cheriton Fitzpaine v Axmouth Utd  
Henry's Cronies v Exmth Amateurs Reserves  
Teddurn St Mary v Lyme Regis  
Thorvorton Reserves v Exmouth Town Reserves  
University 5ths v Pinhoe  
Woodbury v Chagford  
**PREMIER**

## As they stand

D & E Div Three	Pld	+/ -	Pts
Exmouth Tn Res.....	14	28	30
LYME REGIS.....	13	45	29
Woodbury.....	10	16	25
Henry's Cronies.....	9	28	22
Exeter Univ 5ths.....	11	7	22
Clyst Valley Res.....	13	-10	15
Cheriton Fitzp.....	13	-1	14
Chagford.....	10	0	12
Axmouth Utd.....	9	-2	12
Teddurn St Mary.....	9	-14	11
Thorvorton Res.....	11	-17	9
Pinhoe.....	13	-21	9
Axminster Res.....	13	-29	9
Exmouth Amt Res.....	14	-30	8

Premier	Pld	+/ -	Pts
Perry Street.....	11	22	25
Shepton Beau.....	10	30	24
W & M Chinnock.....	8	27	21
Crewkerne Town.....	6	24	18
South Petherton.....	9	23	16
BEAMINSTER.....	10	17	12
Combe Res.....	9	16	9
LYME REGIS RES.....	11	-14	9
Misterton.....	9	-82	3
Ilminster Colts.....	9	-63	0

Division One	Pld	+/ -	Pts
Barrington.....	8	36	24
Winsham Utd.....	11	16	24
Millway Rise.....	9	18	22
Forton Rangers.....	10	9	17
NETHERBURY.....	8	2	14
Chard Utd.....	11	1	13
LYME BANTAMS.....	9	-6	11
Luso-Chard.....	11	-24	9
PYMORE.....	9	-17	3
Farway Utd.....	8	-35	0

Division Two	Pld	+/ -	Pts
DRIMPTON.....	9	32	25
Thorncombe.....	10	11	21
Crewk Rangers.....	10	-1	17
Crewkerne Res.....	7	12	16
WAYTOWN Hnds.....	11	6	16
BEAMINSTER RES.....	11	2	11
UPLYME.....	8	1	10
CHARMOUTH.....	11	-8	10
Combe A.....	10	-11	9
Ilminster Town A.....	9	-44	-2*

Division Three	Pld	+/ -	Pts
Barrington Res.....	10	15	21
Chard Utd Res.....	9	13	21
Kingsbury Episc.....	9	13	18
Hawkhurst Utd.....	8	11	15
Thorncombe Res.....	9	0	13
Dowlish & Donyatt.....	9	-2	12
S.Petherton Res.....	11	-5	11
Merriott Dynamos.....	8	-2	9
Shepton Beau Res.....	8	-12	7
Chard Rangers.....	14	-6	6
Millway Rise Res.....	9	-17	6

Division Four	Pld	+/ -	Pts
Combe B.....	9	33	25
Merriott Rovers.....	8	46	24
Winsham Utd Res.....	12	-1	18
UPLYME RES.....	9	4	15
Crewk Rangers Res.....	9	-3	12
Hinton St George.....	7	-1	10
DRIMPTON RES.....	10	-9	9
Chard Rangers Res.....	9	-15	9
Farway Utd Res.....	7	-14	6
Chard Utd All St.....	10	-40	4

\*=Pts deducted

Ilminster Town Colts v Combe Res  
Lyme Regis Res v Beaminster  
Shepton Beauchamp v Crewkerne  
W&M Chinnock v South Petherton  
**DIVISION ONE**  
Barrington v Millway Rise  
Chard Utd v Lyme Regis Bantams  
Netherbury v Farway Utd  
Pymore v Forton Rangers  
**DIVISION TWO**  
Charmouth v Crewkerne Rangers  
Crewkerne Res v Waytown Hounds  
**DIVISION THREE**  
Dowlish & Donyatt v Kingsbury  
Millway Res v Merriott Dynamos  
S.Petherton Res v Hawkhurst Utd  
Thorncombe Res v Shepton Res  
**DIVISION FOUR**  
Crewk Rangers v Chard Utd AS  
Drimpton Res v Hinton  
Merriott Rovers v Uplyme Res



## Lyme Regis Sittles League

### FIXTURES:

Wednesday, Dec 17th.

#### Dave Smith Mixed Pairs.

**SHIP INN:** Hot gossip  
Pair, R Parsons & G Parsons, A Gillings & D Gillings, A Atkinson & N Atkinson, Hot Gossips  
Pair, D Heath & R Bevis, E Bearpark & N Bearpark, C Prosser & G Prosser, L Taylor & M Williams (in-charge), G Cantell & J Cantell.

**ROCKPOINT INN:** J White & L Dare, A Cross & A Rattenbury, D Rickard & J Rickard, T Forsey & A Partner, J Wyatt & R Wyatt, J Kirkman & P Kirkman, Hot Gossips  
Pair, M Fowler & G Fowler, P Stamp & J Stamp, J West (in charge) & T West, S Rickard & M Bearpark.

Friday, December 19th

#### Palmer's Cup

Rousdon Rebels v Roadrunners,  
No Hoppers v Young Guns,  
Flyers v Anthill Mob,  
Tornadoes v Marksman.

## Cribbage

### LYME REGIS

**Results:** Beer Club 4 Talbot Arms 1, New Inn Kilming-  
ton 5 Nags Head LR 0, Ship  
Inn LR 2 Stepps 3, Royal  
Oak 5 Cloakham Lawns 0,  
Lamb Swans 3 Gerrard Arms  
2, Axminster Con Club 3  
Old Inn Kilmington 2.

**Beer League:** Beer Club 1  
Talbot Arms 2, New Inn  
Kilmington 1 Nags Head LR  
2, Ship Inn LR 3 Stepps 0,  
Royal Oak 2 Cloakham  
Lawns 1, Lamb Swans 0  
Gerrard Arms 3, Axminster  
Con Club 1 Old Inn Kil-  
mington 2.

**Fixtures** (Dec 15th):  
Cloakham Lawns v Ship LR,  
Gerrard Arms v Talbot  
Arms, Lamb Swans v Nags  
Head LR, Old Inn Kilming-  
ton v New Inn Kilmington,  
Royal Oak v Stepps, Axmin-  
ster Con Club v Beer Club.

Table - week 13	Pld	Pts
New Inn Kilmington	13	40
Beer Club	13	38
Nags Head LR	13	36
Axminster Con Club	13	35
Lamb Swans	13	35
Old Inn Kilmington	13	32
Royal Oak	13	32
Ship Inn LR	13	31
Talbot Arms	13	30
Stepps	13	29
Gerrard Arms	13	28
Cloakham Lawns	13	24

Beer League	Pld	Pts
Stepps	13	23
Old Inn Kilmington	13	22
Ship Inn LR	13	22
Lamb Swans	13	22
Talbot Arms	13	20
New Inn Kilmington	13	20
Royal Oak	13	19
Axminster Con Club	13	19
Gerrard Arms	13	19
Nags Head LR	13	18
Cloakham Lawns	13	16
Beer Club	13	15



## Hockey

# Beaminster make it four on the trot

### Beaminster 3 Salisbury 4th 0

BEAMINSTER Ladies extended their winning run to four in a row as they eased further from the bottom of Channel Division One which they occupied just a month ago, with this comprehensive victory over Salisbury 4ths.

This was another impressive display that highlighted the balance between experience and the younger talent coming through the ranks.

The game started fairly evenly with Salisbury producing some neat hockey that saw them force three short corners in succession, but having shut their opponents out, Beaminster then had a spell where they dominated and saw them close to scoring.

Slowly they gained the upper hand and took the lead in the 17th minute when Andrea Prentice was on hand to knock home a rebound off the keeper after some fierce action in the D.

Salisbury tried to respond but the home defence was in top form, and quick reactions all over the pitch saw Beaminster cut out a number of potential moves.

Beaminster began to move into overdrive with wingers Lydia Brookling and Bella Foot stretching the visiting defence.

Brookling's gliding runs and Foot's more direct and forceful hockey saw the Salisbury defence scrambling to contain them, and eventually they were breeched when Phoebe Stewart reacted quickest to pounce and fire high into the net after the overworked keeper could only parry another shot from a cross.

Salisbury by now posed little threat except through the experienced left winger on the counter attack as Beaminster created a number of other chances to score, particularly from short corners.

A change at half-time saw Stewart assume goal-

keeping duties with Izzy Mullins moving to left back in place of Taryn Critchard, and Hollie Clarke introduced up front.

Within 30 seconds of the restart Prentice saw her wonderful reverse stick shot saved by the keeper as Beaminster continued where they left off.

But they had a huge let-off themselves six minutes in when Salisbury struck the post following a huge scramble after a short corner routine.

Almost immediately they went down the opposite end and put the game beyond doubt with a superbly executed third.

A one-touch flowing movement started with Brookling down the right who found Nina Holloway. She in turn crossed into the D where Hollie Clarke was on hand to leave the keeper motionless with a stunning shot.

Beaminster saw out the rest of the game with little problem and Tracey Smith fired just wide from a short corner, whilst Mullins was forced to clear a shot from a late short corner off the line.

This was a great all round performance once more with the younger players in the side now gaining in confidence and becoming more aggressive in their play.

**BEAMINSTER:** Izzy Mullins, Jenny Clarke, Georgie Simmonds, Tracey Smith, Taryn Critchard, Genna Bunker, Nina Holloway, Andrea Prentice, Lydia Brookling, Phoebe Stewart, Bella Foot, Hollie Clarke.

## Thompson magic earns a point

### TRURO B 2 WEST DORSET HAWKS 2

WEST Dorset Hawks made the long trek to Cornwall and returned with a well-earned point thanks

to a superb equaliser from Mike Thompson just before the end.

The Hawks looked quite threatening for the first 15 minutes which eventually resulted in a good move down the right flank involving Rick Steele and Mike Thompson who picked out Robin Goodfellow who slotted home a great goal.

Perhaps the energetic start took a lot out of the Hawks and the work rate seemed to dip as did the accuracy of the passing which allowed Truro to equalise.

Perhaps the effects of the long trip were beginning to take effect at the start of the second half as the Hawks seemed lethargic and the hosts took advantage with a breakaway goal to take the lead. Buoyed by this success Truro put the visiting defence under pressure for a while but superb goal-keeping by Tom Lowe kept them at bay.

However, West Dorset finally found their rhythm and the whole team rallied and eventually the equaliser came from a long ball from Goodfellow to Thompson who from a tight angle brilliantly reversed hit the ball into the top of the goal.

Captain Rick Dormor said: "I would like to thank everyone for making the effort to travel the distance and to Mike Thompson and Robin Goodfellow for their endless work rate."

## Coombes goes nap in rout

### West Dorset A 17 Sidmth & Ottery D 0

WEST Dorset A returned to league action following a two week layoff with a home game against South East 2 strugglers Sidmouth & Ottery D.

Having asked for a delayed start to allow for late arrivals, the visitors might have been better advised to go home as the hosts thumped 17 past

them.

Dorset took the lead on seven minutes and this opened the floodgates as they added three more with just 11 minutes on the clock.

The home side continued to dominate scoring a further four goals; the pick of these being a piece of audacious skill from Bob Dormer who controlled the ball midair on the edge of the area before lofting it over a defenders stick and smashing it into the far corner of the goal.

The second-half continued in the same vein with the home side camped in their opponents half. West Dorset continued to score at will. Dormer scored another superb individual goal; beating three defenders and the goalkeeper and tapping it into an empty goal.

The hosts defenders were also getting in on the scoring act; right back Andrew Frampton scoring at the far post following a neat short corner routine and left back Henry Middleton diverting home a Jules Lawrence pull back from the bye line.

Russell Coombes and James Cox were causing the visitors' defence problems all afternoon and they scored seven goals between them in the second half alone.

The final list of scorers was; Coombes (5), Bob Dormer (3), Middleton (3), James Cox (3), Frampton, John Dormor and Rob Cox.

Skipper Middleton said: "Apart from losing the toss, everything went right for us. We over elaborated our passing in front of goal at times but overall this was a great performance."

"I thought Jules Lawrence, James Cox and Rob Cox controlled the play in midfield and created lots of chances. It was a very quiet game for our keeper Lee Herrod who should have brought a book to read!"

Next week should prove to be a more lively affair with the visit of high-flying Chard A.

## Juniors lead the way in Lyme Regis golf awards

by Richard Jackman

LYME Regis Golf Club held its annual Presentation Evening last Friday and it was dominated by the juniors who scooped up many of the men's prizes, including junior captain George Seed who collected the club championship prize from Roger Seed, club captain, also runner up and George's father.

In his speech George thanked all who had helped him along the way including his parents and club professional Duncan Driver.

◆ Back on the course and there were some good scores in round two of the **Winter League Singles** as scratch golfer Kieron Fowler took top spot from Harry Harris, both with 39 points with Brian Deem

third on 38 on countback from Gareth Williams in 4th.

In the **Seniors' December Stableford** Deem was again in fine form as he won Division One with 37 points from Keith Gibson and Jim Kerr both with 36.

It was even tighter in Division Two as the top three all scored 36 points but Gareth Vaughan won on countback from Tom Binks and Bernie Porter.

In Division One of the **Ladies Stableford** Susan Moore just beat Jane Southcombe on countback with 36 points and Caroline Baker came 3rd with 34.

Division Two saw Rosemary Dare win from Kathy Briggs, both 32 points, on countback, with Ronny Turner 3rd with 30.



■ SILVERWARE: Award winner from the Junior section with their trophies.

Photo by ROB COOMBE

## Scrum down - Bridport rugby round-up

# Skipper Cutting makes incisive return

### Dorchester 2nd 3 Bridport 15

BRIDPORT started this game with some serious intent; forwards and backs combining well to put Dorchester on the back foot from the outset.

The pressure told and captain Dave Cutting, back from nose surgery, announced his return with a try which Rory Greening converted comfortably.

The skipper, playing at scrum half, continued to be a pivotal figure throughout the game; his intensity was an inspiration to the forwards who turned in a committed performance.

They did however fall foul of the referee on numerous occasions. An offside at the ruck gave Dorchester an easy three points and a further flurry of penalties could have proved costly.

However, Bridport's self-belief was growing all the time and this was exemplified by a terrific try from fly half Ricky Stubbs. Spotting a small gap in the defence he burst through and found the corner. Greening missed a tricky conversion, but at half-time Bridport led 12-3.

The second half started, as did the first, with all

the pressure coming from the visitors. Dorchester's were caught off side and Greening slotted a straight forward penalty to increase the lead to 15-3, and although the hosts did enjoy some promising attacks of their own, it was to no avail. In fact, there were to be no further scores as both defences held firm. Man of the Match was Ayorinde Fraser.

This was an encouraging victory for Bridport who seem to be responding well to the input of stand-in coach Wayne Munro, assisted by Guy Ewart. East Dorset, 15-12 victors over Bridport in a recent cup game, are up next.

### Bridport U14 19 Chard 26

THE visitors who opened the scoring after lax work from Bridport, which continued to be a feature of this hard-fought encounter.

For every score Chard gained, Kieran Dunning, George Hussey and Guy Brazier replied with scores for Bridport. Joe O'Hagan added two conversions but it was not enough to prevent Chard winning by a solitary try.

### Oakmedians U12 36 Bridport 0

THIS was a difficult game for Bridport against a well organised team.

Within the first 10 minutes Oakmedians ran in four tries. But the Bridport boys contested hard and defended with more passion in the second half. Their heads did not go down typified by man of the match Reuben Joliffe for his attacking runs and his support for his team mates.

Under pressure cracks appeared in the Bridport strategy and a lot was learnt thanks to the quality of the opposition.

### Bridport U11 5 Sidmouth 40 and Bridport 5 Oakmedians 40

BOTH visiting teams gave a lesson in driving over, retaining the ball, and speedily getting the ball out wide.

Bridport simply stood and watched at every maul, forgot to drive over, and that age old fault; they didn't tackle, and lost both games by eight tries to one.

There were two exceptions in Toby Gale who car-

ried out 23 tackles over the two games, and Jack Handford, who never stopped attacking.

A spokesman said: "If all players attended training on a Wednesday evening they would know their role and position in the game."

### Oakmedians too strong for U9 Blues

OAKMEDIANS arrived with a large and well-drilled squad and looked disconcerted to find themselves two tries down in as many minutes.

Bridport played with great intensity from the off, but errors crept in.

The initiative swung the other way as Bridport missed too many tackles, but they kept attacking and scored some good tries through Charlie Brake, Barney Johnson, Henry Everitt, James Glanville and Charles Edwards (2). When the dust settled Oaks had scored eight tries to Bridport's six.

In the second game Oaks were able to field seven fresh players and a tiring Bridport conceded 12 tries, scoring three in return through Charles Edwards and two from Player of the Match Barney Johnson.







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## INSIDE: Lyme Regis Golf Club awards night

### Goal spree continues for Lyme

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Next up for Lyme, who have now won four in a row, is a first ever visit to Barley Park to face lowly Tedburn St Mary

The first team's fine win was tempered by news of the Ressies' biggest home league defeat for 29 years as they were thrashed 8-1 by title-chasing Shepton Beauchamp.

Cam Fowler netted the lonely-looking consolation but in truth the score line could have been even more as the Seasiders experimental line-up in a 3-5-2 formation was ruthlessly exposed and failed to hold the powerful visitors.

Manager Gerard Hitchcock is likely to ring the changes for the visit of Beaminster for Saturday's local-derby at the Fort (2pm ko).

Injuries and suspensions meant Lyme Bantams were forced to call-off last weekend's scheduled trip to Forton Rangers.

The team are due to visit Chard United on Saturday in the hunt for more Division One points.

Down in Division Two goals from Dan Boot and Will Francis earned UPLYME their first home win for three months as Combe A were beaten 2-0.

Uplyme have no fixture on Saturday but the club's Reserve team faces the second of two tough-looking trips to face Division Four title contenders.

The first game last weekend resulted in a 4-1 reverse at Combe B with Niall Waterhouse maintaining his scoring run by netting for the eighth consecutive game, while next up is a visit to newly reformed Merriott Rovers who are still unbeaten on their return to the league.



**CHIP OFF THE OLD BLOCK;** George Seed (left) receives the Club Championship trophy from Club Captain (and dad) Roger Seed at Lyme Regis Golf Club's Annual Presentation night - see inside. Photo by ROB COOMBE

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